

STATISTICS OF NEW ZEALAND, 1878.

TRADE AND INTERCHANGE.

SHIPPING.

TABLE showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Entered Inwards at the several Ports of New Zealand during the Year 1878.

Ports of Arrival.	Whence.		British.		Foreign.		Totals.	
			With Cargoes,		With Cargoes,		With Cargoes,	
	United Kingdom.	British Possessions.	Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.	In Ballast.	Totals.	In Ballast.	Totals.	In Ballast.
Auckland ...	28	... 107	1 70	6,184	81,278	3,720 4	417 23,188	81,695
Thames ...	...	1 ...	1 248	...	1 248	9 ...	...	1 248
Russell ...	...	4 1	9 ...	4 2,304	140 1	100 7	5 2,404	147 9 2,909
Mongonui ...	...	...	1 ...	...	...	...	1 265	265 1 265
Kaiapara ...	...	4 2	1 ...	5 1,516	44 2	462 17	7 1,978	61 5,104
Wellington ...	29	... 103	4 ...	129 75,197	2,281	... 129 75,197	2,281 7 3,127	68 136 78,324
Napier ...	...	1 ... 22	... 22	23 5,846	204 ...	23 5,846	204 ...	23 5,846 204
Nelson ...	7	... 16	1 ...	23 9,343	298 ...	23 9,343	417 11 ...	24 9,760 309
Westport ...	...	8	... 2,160	118 ...	8 2,160	118 ...	...	8 2,160 118
Greymouth ...	...	19 ...	... 19	2,899 127 ...	19 2,899	127 ...	...	19 2,899 127
Hokitika ...	...	23 ...	... 23	7,406 484 ...	23 7,406	484 ...	...	23 7,406 484
Lyttonton ...	33	1 150 ...	7 ...	180 86,223	2,500 1	39 16,181	86,262 2,516 10 4,960	10 4,960 114 190 91,183 2,614 1
Timaru ...	...	27 ...	... 27	6,782 241 ...	...	6,782 241 ...	...	27 6,782 241 ...
Oamaru ...	...	30 ...	... 29	5,904 228 ...	...	29 5,904 228 1	296 11 ...	30 6,200 239
Dunedin ...	41	... 73	24 1	68,683 1,944 1	93 21,118	68,776 1,965 21	8,915 215 ...	21 8,915 215 138 77,598 2,159 1
Bluff Harbour ...	6	64 ...	... 70	37,999 2,211 ...	...	70 37,999 2,211 ...	...	70 37,999 2,211 ...
Riverton ...	...	1 ...	... 1	51 5 ...	...	51 5 ...	...	1 51 5 ...
Totals 1878 ...	145	1 652	4 117	7,843 39,389 14,554 9	1,111 84,852	39,495 14,638 71	60,853 2,048 3	687 24,74 1,798 108,926 45,649 16,710
Totals 1877 ...	112	1 596	10 84	9,726 320,135 12,530 19 3,839 215,745	12,745 66	64,254 2,371 1	340 10 67 64,594 2,381 1	384,389 14,901 20 4,179 225,812 388,568 15,126

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TABLE showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels entered Inwards in the Colony of New Zealand during the Year 1877.

Countries whence Arrived.	British.										Foreign.										Totals.									
	With Cargoes,					In Ballast.					Totals.					With Cargoes,					In Ballast.					Totals.				
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	
United Kingdom	145	134,651	3,732	1	39	16	146	134,690	3748	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	145	134,651	3,732	1	39	16	146	134,690	3,748	...	...	...
Australia—	3	468	22	...	...	3	468	22	...	162,226	5,689	17	22,904	752	...	...	17	22,904	752	18	6,441	...	...	3	410	185,130	6,441	22
Queensland	...	393	162,226	5,689	...	393	162,226	5,689	...	36,939	2,151	18	...	2,151	2	...	2	6,441	185,130	98	37,401	2,168	...	...	...	...	...	...
New South Wales	94	36,260	2,133	2	462	17	96	36,260	2,133	...	36,939	2,151	15	5,057	177	15	5,057	177	18	5,057	177	
Victoria	15	5,057	177	...	...	15	5,057	177	...	24,365	1,269	78	24,365	1,269	...	...	78	24,365	1,269	15	2,365	1,269	...	...	...	...	...	...
South Australia	78	24,365	1,269	...	...	78	24,365	1,269	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	78	24,365	1,269	15	2,365	1,269	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tasmania	
Pacific Islands—	4	239	19	4	239	19	4	239	19	4	239	19	
Norfolk Island	632	43	1	38	5	9	670	48	1	1,612	110	10	...	1,612	110	...	1	98	12	9	730	55	1	38	5	10	768	60		
New Caledonia	1,475	160	2	137	10	21	1,612	110	10	19	1,475	100	2	1,377	10	21	1,612	110	
Fiji Islands...	1,271	96	...	...	17	1,271	96	1	1,07	7	1	73	8	2	180	15	18	1,378	103	1	73	8	19	1,451	111	...	...	...
Friendly Islands	2,34	14	1	68	6	3	302	20	1	449	11	1	30	3	2	479	14	3	683	25	2	98	9	5	781	34	
Navigator Islands	808	68	...	...	10	808	68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	808	68	...	...	10	808	68	...	...	...	...
Cook Islands	269	16	...	...	4	269	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	269	16	...	...	4	269	16	...	...	...	...
Savage Island	150	16	...	...	2	150	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	150	16	...	...	2	150	16	...	...	...	...
Rotumah Island	2,35	13	...	...	2	2,35	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2,35	13	...	...	2	2,35	13	...	...	...	...
Gilbert Islands	380	17	...	...	3	380	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	380	17	...	...	3	380	17	...	...	...	...
Marshall Islands	...	...	...	...	1	274	9	...	...	...	...	1	584	13	1	584	13	1	584	13	2	858	22	2	858	22	...	...
Malden Island	11,997	686	7	11,997	686	6	18,111	609	...	...	6	18,111	609	13	30,108	1,295	...	...	30,108	1,295	...	...	30,108	1,295	...	...	...	...
Sandwich Islands	7	54	1	93	21	3	554	75	9	2,909	266	...	...	9	2,909	266	11	3,370	320	1	93	21	12	3,463	341	...	...	...
Whale Fishery	1,841	41	...	...	...	3	1,841	41	19	9,622	211	...	...	19	9,622	211	22	11,463	252	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United States of America—	3	3	1,935	36	3	1,935	36	3	1,935	36	3	1,935	36	3	1,935	36	3	1,935	36	3	1,935	36	
On the Atlantic	1	441	11	1	441	11	1	441	11	1	441	11	1	441	11	1	441	11
On the Pacific	10	2,540	90	2	698	22	2	698	22	12	3,238	112	12	3,238	112	12	3,238	112
British Columbia	10	2,540	90	...	...	10	2,540	90	1	2,37	10	...	...	1	2,37	10	10	2,37	10	1	2,37	10	10	2,37	10	10	2,37	10
China	1	237	10	6	3,628	93	...	13	4,115	132	7	2,334	68	...	7	2,334	68	6	3,628	93	...	6	3,628	93	...	6	3,628	93
Singapore	6	3,628	93	1	145	7	1	273	10	1	273	10	1	273	10	1	273	10	1	273	10	1	273	10	1	273	10	
Bengal	13	4,115	132	1	155	7	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	
Mauritius	1	145	7	1	155	7	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	
Batavia	1	155	7	1	155	7	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	1	593	15	
Java	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peru	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
France	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals for 1878	843	393,839	14,534	9	1,111	84	852	394,950	14,638	71	66,833	2,048	3	687	24	74	66,540	2,072	914	455,602	12,602	12	1,798	108	926	456,490	16,710			
Totals for 1877	726	329,135	12,530	19	3,839	215	745	323,974	12,745	66	64,254	2,371	1	340	10	67	64,594	2,381	792	384,389	14,901	20	4,179	225	812	388,568	15,126			

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TABLE showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Cleared Outwards at the several Ports of New Zealand during the Year 1878.

Ports of Departure.	Destination.		British.			Foreign.			Totals.		
	United Kingdom.	British Possessions and Whale Fisheries.	With Cargoes,		In Ballast.	With Cargoes,		In Ballast.	With Cargoes,		In Ballast.
			Vessels.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.
Auckland	...	8	... 79	32	74	6 139	61,240	3,045	35	13,196	368 174
Russell	...	...	9 ...	10	...	10 5,843	3,03	...	10	5,843	303 9
Mongonui	...	...	1 ...	1	164	7 ...	...	1	164	7 1	265 25
Hokianga	...	...	4 ...	...	4	1,037	37	...	4	1,037	37 37
Kaipara	...	...	19 ...	2	21	4,779	163	...	21	4,779	163 163
Poverty Bay	...	1 ...	...	...	1	464	13 ...	...	1	464	13 13
New Plymouth	...	...	1 ...	1	...	...	179	9	179	...	...
Wellington	10	...	39 75	2 15	40	34,156	1,976	84	38,219	1,023 124	72,375 2,099
Napier	6	...	5 18	...	11	5,460	150	18	5,032	156 29	10,492 306
Nelson	...	...	8 9	...	1	1,774	59	10	2,276	80 17	4,050 417
Westport	...	...	3 ...	3	489	21 ...	...	3	489	21 ...	...
Greymouth	...	...	30 ...	...	30	4,832	230	...	30	4,832	230 230
Hokitika	...	...	21 ...	...	21	8,497	602	...	21	8,497	602 602
Lytton	30	...	69 78	3 10	100	59,128	1,395	79	28,627	793 179	78,755 2,188
Timaru	...	2 ...	12 7	...	1	4,162	132	8	2,122	72 22	6,284 6,444
Oamaru	...	3 ...	16 7	2 ...	19	5,378	169	7	1,092	48 26	6,470 5,67
Dunedin	20	...	13 52	...	22	32,319	616	62	32,856	848 94	56,175 1,464
Bluff Harbour	4	...	45 9	...	1	49	30,006	1,899	10	4,881	99 59
Totals for 1878	84	...	364 288	94	56	502 241,728	9,917	314	128,480	3,496 816	370,268 45,956
Totals for 1877	70	...	378 256	93	51	495 225,314	9,681	284	110,153	3,274 779	335,467 65,142

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SHIPPING OUTWARDS.—COUNTRIES FOR WHICH CLEARED.
TABLE showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Cleared Outwards from the Colony of New Zealand to each under-mentioned Country, Colony, or Port, during the Year 1878.

Countries to which Cleared.	British.				Foreign.				Totals.			
	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Tons.	Crews.	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Tons.	Crews.	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Tons.	Crews.
Vessels.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.
United Kingdom ...	84	76,850	1,961	...	84	76,850	1,961	...	84	76,850	1,961	...
Australia—	9	1,465	63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	84
Queensland ...	160	84,616	3,500	240	88,021	2,463,400	1,72,637	5,963	10	20,659	661	...
New South Wales ...	102	38,967	2,391	4	2,707	73	1,064	2,364	2	569	19	...
Victoria ...	5	3,255	78	2	1,444	32	7	4,669	110	1	241	7
South Australia ...	37	13,903	734	19	3,786	161	56	16,789	895	...	...	37
Pacific Islands ...	...	...	4	239	15	...	4	239	15	...	4	239
Norfolk Island ...	9	582	37	...	9	582	37	2	231	17	11	813
New Caledonia ...	27	2,357	142	...	27	2,357	142	...	231	17	27	2,357
Fiji Islands ...	16	1,252	82	...	16	1,252	82	1	107	7	7	1,359
Friendly Islands ...	3	204	13	...	3	204	13	2	584	19	5	788
Navigator Islands ...	10	792	66	...	10	792	66	...	584	19	10	792
Cook Islands ...	7	11,999	684	...	7	11,999	684	6	18,111	631	13	30,110
Sandwich Islands ...	3	269	18	...	3	269	18	...	6	18,111	631	13
Society Islands ...	4	291	26	...	4	291	26	...	...	269	18	3,269
Suvarrow Island ...	...	...	2	548	19	2	548	19	...	4	291	26
Malden Island ...	1	135	7	...	1	135	7	...	...	...	3	1,132
Gilbert Islands ...	1	65	7	...	1	65	7	...	...	...	1	135
Rotumah Island ...	1	58	3	...	1	58	3	...	...	...	1	65
Savage Island ...	1	159	8	...	1	159	8	...	...	...	1	58
Caroline Islands ...	3	395	18	14	3,993	129	17	4,388	147	1	584	13
Guam ...	...	...	4	597	48	4	597	48	...	...	1	135
Whale Fishery ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	135
United States of America—	2	645	19	...	16	16,893	351	16	1,620	73	6	2,265
On the Atlantic ...	...	...	33	2	2,294	38	3	3,712	71	1	455	9
On the Pacific ...	1	1,418	15	9	6,443	148	10	6,986	163	...	...	1
Peru ...	...	...	2	633	19	1	465	12	2	859	22	2
Chili ...	1	753	24	...	2	633	19	1	465	12	3	1,098
Mauritius ...	2	701	24	...	3	701	24	...	...	3	701	24
China ...	3	386	16	2	1,784	34	4	2,170	50	1	372	12
Java ...	2	...	...	...	4	1,319	38	1	271	9	1	271
Africa—	...	...	4	1,319	38	...	4	1,319	38	1	271	9
Cape Colony ...	...	...	4	1,319	38	...	4	1,319	38	1	271	9
Totals for 1878 ...	502	241,728	9,917	314	128,480	3,496,816	370,208	3,413	40	45,956	1,731	30
Totals for 1877 ...	495	225,314	9,681	284	110,153	3,274,779	335,467	12,955	46	51,914	2,026	23

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NATIONALITY OF VESSELS ENTERED AND CLEARED.

TABLE showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels of each Nation Entered Inwards into and Cleared Outwards from New Zealand during the Year 1878.

ENTERED.

		With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Totals.		
		Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
British...	...	234	203,669	6,400	2	168	23	236	203,837	6,423
Colonial	...	609	190,170	8,154	7	943	61	616	191,113	8,215
French...	...	8	2,648	95	...	...	...	8	2,648	95
German	...	11	3,695	113	2	103	11	13	3,798	124
Swedish	...	1	332	10	...	...	...	1	332	10
Norwegian	...	2	834	22	1	584	13	3	1,418	35
Italian...	...	1	133	7	...	...	...	1	133	7
American	...	48	53,211	1,801	...	...	...	48	53,211	1,801
Totals for 1878	...	914	454,692	16,602	12	1,798	108	926	456,490	16,710
Totals for 1877	...	792	384,389	14,901	20	4,179	225	812	388,568	15,126

CLEARED.

		With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Totals.		
		Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
British...	...	133	127,863	4,196	81	58,745	1,335	214	186,608	5,531
Colonial	...	309	113,865	5,721	233	69,735	2,161	602	183,600	7,882
French...	...	4	1,235	43	5	1,723	55	9	2,958	98
German	...	6	1,693	55	8	2,599	74	14	4,292	129
Danish...	...	...	...	...	2	318	13	2	318	13
Swedish	...	...	...	...	1	332	10	1	332	10
Norwegian	...	1	417	11	2	1,001	23	3	1,418	34
Italian...	...	1	133	7	...	...	...	1	133	7
American	...	28	42,478	1,615	12	6,356	122	40	48,834	1,737
Totals for 1878	...	542	287,684	11,648	344	140,809	3,793	886	428,493	15,441
Totals for 1877	...	541	277,228	11,707	307	123,381	3,627	848	400,609	15,334

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SHIPPING ENTERED AND CLEARED.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

TABLE showing, for the Decennial Period 1869–78, the Vessels Entered and Cleared at the Ports of the Colony.

ENTERED.

Year.	Total Number.			British.			Colonial.			Foreign.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
1869 ...	764	250,731	12,330	119	72,640	3,360	584	155,303	7,621	61	22,788	1,349
1870 ...	756	273,151	14,180	145	85,643	3,622	553	167,869	9,110	58	19,639	1,448
1871 ...	729	274,643	13,226	100	61,296	2,575	569	167,276	8,677	60	46,071	1,974
1872 ...	775	300,302	13,866	115	80,008	3,144	583	167,645	8,463	77	52,649	2,259
1873 ...	739	289,297	12,177	138	98,530	3,347	533	158,476	7,347	68	32,291	1,483
1874 ...	856	399,296	15,924	237	201,017	6,939	552	170,393	7,616	67	27,976	1,369
1875 ...	926	416,727	16,275	221	187,044	6,537	650	203,868	8,648	55	25,815	1,090
1876 ...	878	393,180	15,232	170	150,865	4,903	647	196,113	8,512	61	46,202	1,817
1877 ...	812	388,568	15,126	164	147,349	5,073	581	176,625	7,672	67	64,594	2,381
1878 ...	926	456,490	16,710	236	203,837	6,423	616	191,113	8,215	74	61,540	2,072

CLEARED.

	Total Number.			British.			Colonial.					
Year.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.			
1869 ...	771	247,674	12,192	110	67,839	2,929	604	159,054	8,077	57	20,781	1,186
1870 ...	766	265,407	13,307	133	78,197	2,951	574	166,812	9,001	59	20,398	1,355
1871 ...	709	265,618	12,371	87	55,899	1,845	567	166,927	8,625	55	42,792	1,901
1872 ...	743	285,366	12,802	94	64,879	2,096	579	170,703	8,630	70	49,784	2,076
1873 ...	704	281,847	11,254	127	96,492	2,662	516	152,989	7,127	61	32,366	1,465
1874 ...	822	385,533	14,255	211	180,861	5,230	547	177,321	7,809	64	27,351	1,216
1875 ...	940	417,820	15,317	220	183,923	5,473	665	208,215	8,722	55	25,682	1,122
1876 ...	866	393,334	14,603	171	152,631	4,511	642	195,883	8,402	53	44,820	1,690
1877 ...	848	400,609	15,334	190	160,080	5,233	589	175,387	7,722	69	65,142	2,379
1878 ...	886	428,493	15,441	214	186,608	5,531	602	183,600	7,882	70	58,285	2,028

NOTE.—Coasting vessels are not included in the above tables.

SHIPPING ENTERED AND CLEARED COASTWISE.

TABLE showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Entered and Cleared Coastwise at the under-mentioned Ports during the Year 1878.

Ports.	Entered.			Cleared.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Auckland	3,461	212,223	21,539	3,456	217,765	21,798
Onehunga	181	25,130	2,214	183	25,414	2,266
Thames	1,885	93,708	9,434	1,885	93,740	9,439
Russell	623	61,422	5,028	618	59,475	4,835
Mongonui	68	7,997	1,008	67	7,675	982
Hokianga	34	5,399	227	33	5,131	218
Kaipara	91	11,305	523	89	10,981	511
Wangaroa	190	21,339	1,389	188	21,096	1,381
Tauranga	421	56,394	5,278	417	56,254	5,263
Poverty Bay	331	58,229	4,739	327	57,570	4,698
New Plymouth	136	32,089	2,912	136	32,089	2,912
Waitara	79	5,302	571	76	5,130	553
Wanganui	441	32,699	4,198	441	32,595	4,200
Wellington	1,558	283,181	23,051	1,561	283,074	22,803
Napier	604	99,947	7,711	595	95,504	7,682
Wairau	145	8,957	1,698	145	8,957	1,698
Picton	297	61,622	4,808	297	62,038	4,751
Havelock	145	5,520	415	146	5,517	418
Kaikoura	90	5,202	907	90	5,202	907
Nelson	1,395	124,679	12,575	1,405	129,027	12,716
Westport	294	44,488	4,554	286	44,906	4,583
Greymouth	326	48,514	4,839	320	46,453	4,711
Hokitika	204	25,249	2,526	214	24,019	2,550
Lyttelton	1,728	268,017	17,702	1,693	271,238	17,716
Timaru	239	28,309	2,409	235	27,154	2,370
Oamaru	421	56,641	4,159	420	55,665	4,216
Dunedin	1,235	215,235	16,533	1,266	232,417	15,935
Invercargill and Bluff Harbour	352	65,790	5,141	353	63,240	4,984
Riverton	97	5,824	460	97	5,809	456
Totals for 1878	17,071	2,170,411	168,548	17,039	1,985,135	167,552
Totals for 1877	17,260	1,788,303	152,852	17,239	1,771,917	152,734

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VESSELS BUILT AND REGISTERED IN NEW ZEALAND.

TABLE showing the Number and Tonnage of Sailing and Steam Vessels which remained upon the Register of the Colony of New Zealand on the 31st December, 1877; of those added to and deducted from the Register during the Year 1878; and of those which remained upon the Register on the 31st December, 1878.

	Sailing Vessels.		Steam Vessels.		Totals.	
	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.
Upon the Register on the 31st December, 1877 ...	433	31,977	98	10,101	531	42,078
Added to the Register:—						
New vessels	22	1,491	10	465	32	1,956
Transferred from other ports	21	4,883	8	2,182	29	7,065
Registered <i>de novo</i>	1	71	1	42	2	113
Recovered from wreck	1	29	...	...	1	29
Total additions during the Year 1878	45	6,474	19	2,689	64	9,163
Deduct from the Register:—						
Lost, burnt, destroyed, &c.	24	1,174	3	383	27	1,557
Transferred to other ports	13	1,523	5	769	18	2,292
Broken up and dismantled	1	76	1	39	2	115
Registered <i>de novo</i>	1	71	1	29	2	100
Difference in tonnage on remeasurement ... ...	...	40	...	25	...	65
Sold to Foreigners	5	147	...	...	5	147
Total deductions during the Year 1878	44	3,031	10	1,245	54	4,276
Excess of deductions over additions during the Year 1878 ... ... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Excess of additions over deductions during the Year 1878	1	3,443	9	1,444	10	4,887
Upon the Register on the 31st December, 1878	434	35,420	107	11,545	541	46,965

VESSELS REGISTERED BELONGING TO EACH PORT.

TABLE showing the Number and Tonnage of the Registered Vessels (distinguishing Sailing and Steam) of and under and above 50 Tons which belonged to each of the Ports of New Zealand on the 31st December, 1878.

Ports.	Sailing Vessels.						Steam Vessels.					
	Of and under 50 Tons.		Above 50 Tons.		Total Sailing Vessels.		Of and under 50 Tons.		Above 50 Tons.		Total Steam Vessels.	
	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.
Auckland	148	4,052	71	9,363	219	13,415	29	799	16	1,578	45	2,377
Napier	4	101	2	451	6	552	5	126	1	62	6	188
Wellington	13	451	29	5,918	42	6,369	2	98	13	1,793	15	1,891
Nelson	15	369	2	116	17	485	2	48	5	490	7	538
Lyttelton	33	968	25	4,938	58	5,906	8	307	1	70	9	377
Dunedin	37	1,233	45	6,628	82	7,861	7	198	18	5,976	25	6,174
Invercargill	7	193	3	639	10	832	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	257	7,367	177	28,053	434	35,420	53	1,576	54	9,969	107	11,545

WILLIAM SEED,
Secretary of Customs.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

TABLE showing the Value of the Imports and Exports of the Colony of New Zealand from and to each under-mentioned Country, Colony, or Port, during the Year 1878.

	Country, Colony, or Port.	Imports therefrom.	Exports thereto.
			£
United Kingdom	5,333,170	4,727,242
Australia :—			
Queensland	1,345	11,044
New South Wales	...	789,739	239,190
Victoria	1,443,702	750,390
South Australia	...	48,577	51,723
Western Australia	...	50	...
Tasmania	110,450	20,939
Pacific Islands :—			
Norfolk Island	...	328	3,006
New Caledonia	...	2,323	4,536
Cook Islands	...	4,314	11,820
Friendly Islands	...	3,020	27,532
Society Islands	...	876	2,579
Fiji Islands	13,789	13,511
Solomon Islands	...	253	131
New Hebrides	23
Navigator Islands	...	3,790	8,002
Malden Island	562
Suwarrow Island	1,594
Rotumah Island	...	1,837	922
Gilbert Islands	...	540	219
Marshall Islands	...	1,199	42
Caroline Islands	345
Sandwich Islands	...	47	1,422
Savage Island	...	1,378	273
Guam	1,671
Whale Fisheries	9,200	1,112
North America :—			
Canada	719	...
United States of America :—			
On the Atlantic	...	373,046	40,784
On the Pacific	...	59,526	3,159
South America :—			
Chili	3,516
Peru	9,476	20,112
China	165,453	21,434
Java	10,125	6,960
India	131,136	9
Mauritius	207,210	16,173
Africa :—			
Cape Colony	23,723
Europe :—			
France	25,101	...
Germany	1,321	...
Holland	2,503	...
Spain	120	...
	Totals ...	8,755,663	6,015,700

WILLIAM SEED,
Secretary of Customs.

COUNTRIES.

al Ports of New Zealand during the Year 1878.

TABLE showing the Total Value of Imports from

Counties.	Auckland.	Waikato.	Tauranga.	Kaiapara.	Russell.	Thames.	New Plymouth mouth.	Wellington.	Poverty Bay.	Taranaki.	Kaiapara.	Westport.	Greymount.	Hokianga.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill and Harbour.	Burnt Hills.	Total.					
United Kingdom	924,131	15,064	129	974	10,455	11,609	57,478	951,955	3,730	25,595	3,316	1,058	6864	76,832	27,948	1,800,928	101,777	1,925	5,333,170	
Australia—	...	156,714	13,379	58	993	...	24	7,127	9,970	11,719	162,302	...	...	...	...	500	...	819	...	...	1,345	
Queensland	...	170,412	33,335	120	3,593	78	5,128	3,581	17,965	18,043	10,06	...	2,311	2,460	3,688	157,929	64	25,622	20,407	143,342	16,120	...	789,739	
New South Wales	...	39,276	1,320	11	34,871	116,782	91,300	286,794	...	10,378	13,419	326,821	95,577	...	1,443,702
Victoria	...	13,886	6	356	...	10	3,640	...	56	...	3,076	48,577	
South Australia	13	...	1,601	1,376	50	
Western Australia	110,450		
Tasmania		
Pacific Islands—		
Norfolk Island	...	328	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	328
New Caledonia	...	2,323	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,323
Cook Islands	...	4,314	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,314
Friendly Islands	...	3,020	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,020
Society Islands	...	876	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	876
Fiji Islands	...	13,536	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,789
Solomon Islands	...	253	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	253
Navigator Islands	...	3,790	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,790
Rotumah Island	...	1,837	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,837
Gilbert Islands	...	540	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	540
Marshall Islands	...	1,199	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,199
Sandwich Islands	...	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47
Savage Island	...	1,378	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,378
Whale Fisheries...	9,200		
North America—		
Canada	719		
United States—	...	40,618	80,490	...	36	291	1,295	57,986	...	...	...	...	34	...	12	...	136,575	...	444	228	124,883	3,473
On the Atlantic	...	28,858	20	25	...	20	...	13,245	...	20	...	9,150	263	...	
On the Pacific		
South America—		
Peru		
China	...	797	...	...	...	181	150	...	...	...	36,30	...	...	...	...	...	...	35,345	...	...	...	...
India	...	700	...	...	...	549	...	...	...	...	7,06	...	...	...	...	...	...	105,777	...	5,330	...	...
Java	8,093	...	...	...	...
Mauritius	36	2,94	...	...	...	...	...	76,888	...	1,710	...	...
Europe—		
Germany		
France	1,562	...	35	...	...
Holland		
Spain		
Totals...	...	1,408,823	19,881	797	4,677	1,976	24,765	25,457	88,849	1,441,38	55	38,842	146,470	99,680	1,928,744	928	121,681	63,448	2,679,728	226,864	5,805	8,755,663

WILLIAM SEED, Secretary of Customs.

IMPORTS.

RETURN showing the General Imports into the Colony of New Zealand during the Year 1878.

Articles, and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.			Value.	Cleared from Warehouse for Home Consumption.	Rate of Duty.	Amount of Duty Received.
	Duty Paid or Free on First Importation.	Warehoused.					
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS:				£			£ s. d.
United Kingdom ...	5,070 packages ...	...		40,729	...	...
New South Wales ...	20 " "	...		328	...	...
Victoria ...	282 " "	...		1,987	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	3,226 "	...		21,195	...	...
On the Pacific ...	17 "	...		129	...	...
Totals ...	8,624 packges ...	...		64,368	...	Free.	
ALKALI, SODA CRYSTALS, ETC.:	Tons cwt. qr.						
United Kingdom ...	414 18 ...	...		6,036	...	...
Victoria ...	34 10 2 ...	...		694	...	...
Totals ...	449 8 2 ...	...		6,730	...	Free.	
ALKALI, SODA CRYSTALS, ETC.:	Tons cwt. qr.			Tons cwt. qr.			
United Kingdom ...	757 4 3 ...	4 packages	...	4,198	...	...
New South Wales ...	6 2 ...	...		3	...	...
Victoria ...	23 2 2 ...	...		211	...	...
Totals ...	780 13 3 ...	4 packages	...	4,412	2 14 3	1s. per cwt. ...	783 8 4
APPAREL AND SLOPS:							
United Kingdom ...	9 packages ...	...		334	...	...
Victoria ...	3 " ...	...		136	...	...
Totals ...	12 packages ...	...		470	...	Free.*	
APPAREL AND SLOPS:		Cases	packages				
United Kingdom ...	4,303 packages ...	35	577	192,491	...	...
New South Wales ...	199 " ...	2	27	9,920	...	...
Victoria ...	901 " ...	2	58	49,907	...	...
Tasmania ...	9 " ...	...		70	...	...
Norfolk Island ...	1 " ...	...		31	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	5 " ...	...		126	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Pacific ...	4 " ...	...		17	...	...
Mauritius ...	1 " ...	...		5	...	...
India ...	2 " ...	...		4	...	...
China ...	11 " ...	...		160	...	...
Totals ...	5,436 packages ...	39	662	252,731	776 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem.	25,844 14 6
ARMS AND AMMUNITION:							
<i>Arms (Fire):</i>		Cases	packages				
United Kingdom ...	3,052 number ...	2		11,628	...	...
New South Wales ...	146 " ...	...		376	...	...
Victoria ...	264 " ...	...		1,200	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	16 " ...	...		60	...	...
On the Pacific ...	52 " ...	1	...	121	...	...
Fiji Islands ...	1 " ...	...		10	...	...
Totals ...	3,531 number ...	1	2	13,395	103 number ...	5s. each ...	908 10 0
<i>Caps (Percussion):</i>							
United Kingdom ...	8,972,198 number	...		2,045	...	...
New South Wales ...	282,500 "	...		207	...	...
Victoria ...	701,200 "	...		225	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Pacific ...	29,700 "	...		12	...	...
Totals ...	9,985,598 number	...		2,489	...	1s. per 1,000...	499 6 3

* Duty free, being for service of the Government.

IMPORTS.

RETURN showing the General Imports into the Colony of New Zealand during the Year 1878—continued.

Articles, and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.		Value.	Cleared from Warehouse for Home Consumption.	Rate of Duty.	Amount of Duty Received.
	Duty Paid or Free on First Importation.	Warehoused.				
ARMS AND AMMUNITION— <i>continued.</i>			£			
<i>Cartridges and Cases :</i>						
United Kingdom ...	647 packages ...	...	4,106	...	...
Victoria ...	1 " ...	...	4	...	...
United States of America : On the Pacific ...	3 " ...	...	20	...	...
Totals ...	651 packages ...	...	4,130	...	Free.*	
<i>Cartridges and Cases :</i>	No. packages					
United Kingdom ...	71,500 594	...	450	...	...
Victoria ...	300 7	...	36	...	...
United States of America : On the Pacific ...	2	...	11	...	...
Totals ...	71,800 603	...	497	...	Various ...	53 10 8
<i>Dynamite :</i>						
United Kingdom ...	50 lb. ...	...	8	...	...
Victoria ...	350 " ...	...	52	...	...
Totals ...	400 lb. ...	...	60	...	Free.	
<i>Fuse :</i>						
United Kingdom ...	159 packages ...	...	1,449	...	...
New South Wales ...	8 " ...	...	87	...	...
Victoria ...	30 " ...	...	333	...	...
Totals ...	197 packages ...	...	1,869	...	Free.	
<i>Lithofracteur :</i>						
Victoria ...	600 lb. ...	...	83	...	Free.	
<i>Lithofracteur (Caps for) :</i>						
Victoria ...	3,000 number ...	...	3	...	Free.	
<i>Other Explosives :</i>						
Victoria ...	18 packages ...	...	170	...	Free.	
<i>Powder (Blasting) :</i>						
United Kingdom ...	437,300 lb. ...	...	10,145	...	...
Victoria ...	31,050 " ...	...	888	...	...
Totals ...	468,350 lb. ...	...	11,033	...	Free.	
<i>Powder (Gun) :</i>						
United Kingdom ...	64,519 $\frac{3}{4}$ lb. ...	...	7,402	...	...
New South Wales ...	40 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ...	...	35	...	...
Victoria ...	99 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ...	...	168	...	...
United States of America : On the Pacific ...	14 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ...	...	3	...	...
Totals ...	65,927 $\frac{3}{4}$ lb. ...	...	7,608	...	6d. per lb. ...	1,648 4 3
<i>Shot :</i>	Cwt. qr.	Cwt. kegs				
United Kingdom ...	3,718 ...	20 8	5,378	...	...
New South Wales ...	4 ...	...	7	...	...
Victoria ...	189 2 ...	...	342	...	...
United States of America : On the Pacific ...	1 ...	...	4	...	...
Totals ...	3,912 2 ...	20 8	5,731	10 cwt. ...	10s. per cwt.	1,961 7 0
<i>Swords :</i>						
United Kingdom ...	34 number ...	...	45	...	...
Victoria ...	6 " ...	...	52	...	...
Totals ...	40 number ...	...	97	...	Free.*	
<i>Swords :</i>						
United Kingdom ...	4 number ...	...	22	...	...
Victoria ...	3 " ...	...	34	...	...
Totals ...	7 number ...	...	56	2 number ...	5s. each ...	2 5 0

* For Government purposes.

IMPORTS.

RETURN showing the General Imports into the Colony of New Zealand during the Year 1878—*continued.*

Articles, and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.		Value.	Cleared from Warehouse for Home Consumption.	Rate of Duty.	Amount of Duty Received.
	Duty Paid or Free on First Importation.	Warehoused.				
ARROWROOT (Bulk):						
United Kingdom	4,088 lb.	...	£ 5	...	...
New South Wales	2,288 "	...	76	...	...
Victoria	11,149 "	...	80	...	...
Fiji Islands	...	20 "	232	...	...
South Sea Islands	2,417 "	...	40	...	...
China	144 "	...	3	...	...
Totals	20,086 lb.	23 packages	436	...	½d. per lb. ...	41 17 2
ARSENIC:						
United Kingdom	172 cwt.	...	127	...	...
Victoria	34 "	...	29	...	...
Totals	206 cwt.	...	156	...	4s. per cwt. ...	41 4 9
BAGS AND SACKS:						
<i>Corn:</i>	Bales packages	Bales packages				
United Kingdom	352 170	45 16	6,429	...	...
New South Wales	47	...	175	...	...
Victoria	278	...	7,851	...	...
South Australia	10	...	103	...	...
Tasmania	200	...	5	...	...
India	6,461 300	5,777 80	95,266	...	...
Totals	7,101 717	5,822 96	109,829	79 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	7,787 10 10
<i>Flour:</i>	Bales packages	Bales packages				
United Kingdom	209 109	62 155	9,053	...	...
New South Wales	1	...	12	...	...
Victoria	10 4	10 217	217	...	...
Totals	219 114	72 155	9,282	154 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	725 2 3
<i>Woolpacks:</i>	Bales packages	Bales packages				
United Kingdom	824 727	276 47	13,279	...	...
Victoria	300 82	188 15	4,485	...	...
India	1,236 178	943	18,034	...	...
Totals	2,360 987	1,407 62	35,798	1,073 packages	10 per cent., and *2s. 6d. per doz.	2,495 19 1
<i>Other Kinds:</i>	Bales packages					
United Kingdom	2	1 package	32	...	...
Victoria	6	...	1	...	...
Totals	2 6	1 package	33	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	2 0 0
BARK:	Tons cwt. qr.					
United Kingdom	50 9	...	884	...	...
New South Wales	37 13	2	369	...	...
Victoria	612 1	...	5,168	...	...
South Australia	1,166 11	...	12,813	...	...
Tasmania	1,222 18	...	9,907	...	...
Totals	3,089 12 2	...	29,141	...	Free.	
BASKET AND WICKERWARE:						
United Kingdom	102 packages	6 packages	£ 1,306	...	...
New South Wales	77 "	...	105	...	...
Victoria	66 "	...	144	...	...
Tasmania	21 "	...	43	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	5 "	...	6	...	...
China	24 "	63 "	59	...	...
Totals	295 packages	69 packages	£ 1,663	6 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	164 6 2
BECHE-DE-MER:						
South Sea Islands	17 cwt....	...	33	...	Free.	

* From 7th August, 1878.

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Articles, and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.		Value.	Cleared from Warehouse for Home Consumption.	Rate of Duty.	Amount of Duty Received.
	Duty Paid or Free on First Importation.	Warehoused.				
BEER (Bottled):			£			£ s. d.
Fiji Islands ...	50 gallons ...	...	5	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	116 " ...	...	16	...	...
Totals ...	166 gallons ...	...	21	...	Free.*	
BEER (Bottled):		Casks cases hhd.				
United Kingdom ...	17,791 ³ gallons ...	8,289 17,422	95,320	...	...
New South Wales ...	1,300 " ...	200	548	...	...
Victoria ...	14,825 " ...	419 362 180	5,543	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	123 " ...	14	58	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	94 " ...	...	31	...	...
Totals ...	191,133 ³ gallons ...	8,722 17,984 180	101,500	200,535 ¹ gal.	1s. 3d. per gal.	24,479 2 0
BEER (in Bulk):		Hhd. barrels				
United Kingdom ...	43,195 gallons ...	1,381 96	12,856	...	...
New South Wales ...	900 " ...	10	177	...	...
Victoria ...	2,822 " ...	5	393	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	...	150	260	...	...
Totals ...	46,917 gallons ...	1,396 246	13,686	48,838 gal. ...	1s. per gal. ...	4,787 15 0
BISCUITS (Fancy):						
United Kingdom ...	77 packages ...	...	443	...	...
New South Wales ...	3 " ...	...	10	...	...
Victoria ...	393 " ...	...	1,521	...	...
China ...	12 " ...	...	24	...	...
Totals ...	485 packages ...	...	1,998	...	2d. per lb. ...	450 14 1
BISCUITS (Plain):	Cwt. qr.	Bags casks				
United Kingdom ...	134 3 ...	12 6	105	...	...
New South Wales ...	6 3 ...	...	34	...	...
Victoria ...	50 ...	...	137	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	6 ...	...	1	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	6 ...	...	7	...	...
China ...	2 ...	...	3	...	...
Totals ...	205 2 ...	12 6	287	...	3s. per cwt. ...	30 16 9
BLACKING AND BLACKLEAD:		Cases packages				
United Kingdom ...	1,069 packages ...	27 108	3,933	...	...
New South Wales ...	2 " ...	...	6	...	...
Victoria ...	165 " ...	...	512	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	90 " ...	51	246	...	...
Totals ...	1,326 packages ...	27 159	4,697	159 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	466 2 6
BOATS:						
United Kingdom ...	8 number ...	...	292	...	...
Victoria ...	4 " ...	...	190	...	...
Tasmania ...	1 " ...	...	25	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	2 " ...	...	67	...	...
Totals ...	15 number ...	...	574	...	Free.	
BONES AND BONEDUST:	Tons cwt.					
United Kingdom ...	1 ...	...	10	...	...
New South Wales ...	1,510 ...	...	10,479	...	...
Victoria ...	58 10 ...	...	385	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	461 ...	...	3,556	...	...
Totals ...	2,029 11 ...	...	14,430	...	Free.	
BOOKS (Printed):						
United Kingdom ...	2,078 packages ...	...	64,835	...	...
Queensland ...	1 " ...	...	5	...	...
New South Wales ...	788 " ...	...	17,314	...	...
Victoria ...	1,406 " ...	...	22,900	...	...
South Australia ...	2 " ...	...	7	...	...

* New Zealand produce returned.

IMPORTS.

RETURN showing the General Imports into the Colony of New Zealand during the Year 1878—continued.

Articles, and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.		Value.	Cleared from Warehouse for Home Consumption.	Rate of Duty.	Amount of Duty Received.
	Duty Paid or Free on First Importation.	Warehoused.				
BOOKS (Printed)—continued.						
Tasmania ...	7 packages ...	...	£ 23	...	...
Norfolk Island ...	1 " ...	...	2	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	2 " ...	...	40	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	64 " ...	...	2,856	...	...
On the Pacific ...	133 " ...	...	5,116	...	...
Totals ...	4,482 packages ...	...	113,098	...	Free.	
BOOTS AND SHOES:						
United Kingdom ...	8,282 packages ...	Trunks cases pkg.				
New South Wales ...	158 " ...	86 19 4,302	192,704	...	...
Victoria ...	1,446 " ...	2 74	3,861	...	...
United States of America:		19 2 132	27,931	...	...
On the Atlantic ...	216 " ...	214	5,677	...	...
On the Pacific ...	11 " ...	89	751	...	...
China ...	13 " ...	...	120	...	...
Totals ...	10,126 packages ...	107 21 4,811	231,044	3,353 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem, and *12s., 10s., 8s., 6s., 5s., 3s., 2s. 6d., and 2s. per dozen pairs	21,261 7 6
BRASS:						
United Kingdom ...	Cwt. qr. 82 3 ...	...	309	...	...
Victoria ...	3 ...	...	13	...	...
Totals ...	85 3 ...	...	322	...	Free.	
BRASSWARE:						
United Kingdom ...	207 packages ...	...	5,692	...	...
New South Wales ...	2 " ...	...	11	...	...
Victoria ...	13 " ...	...	154	...	...
Totals ...	222 packages ...	...	5,857	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	585 14 8
BRICKS:						
Bath:	Packages No.					
United Kingdom ...	289 3,800	...	115	...	...
New South Wales ...	2 ...	...	2	...	...
Victoria ...	18 ...	...	6	...	...
Totals ...	309 3,800	...	123	...	Free.	
Fire:	Packages No.					
United Kingdom ...	41 53,868	...	462	...	Free.	
Ordinary:						
United Kingdom ...	5,000 number ...	...	18	...	...
Victoria ...	20,000 " ...	...	98	...	...
China ...	†179,000 " ...	...	67	...	...
Totals ...	204,000 number ...	...	183	...	Free.	
BRIDGE MATERIAL:						
United Kingdom ...	Value only ...	...	30	...	Free.	
BRUSHWARE AND BROOMS:						
United Kingdom ...	708 packages ...	13 packages ...	£ 14,059	...	...
New South Wales ...	61 " ...	1 " ...	185	...	...
Victoria ...	455 " ...	...	1,347	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	103 " ...	4 " ...	1,395	...	...
On the Pacific ...	134 " ...	...	577	...	...
France ...	2 " ...	9 " ...	112	...	...
Totals ...	1,463 packages ...	27 packages ...	17,675	66 packages...	10 per cent. ad valorem	1,819 14 0

* From 7th August, 1878.

† A small brick.

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RETURN showing the General Imports into the Colony of New Zealand during the Year 1878—continued.

Articles, and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.			Value.	Cleared from Warehouse for Home Consumption.	Rate of Duty.	Amount of Duty Received.
	Duty Paid or Free on First Importation.	Warehoused.					
BRUSHES AND COMBS:							
United Kingdom ...	58 packages ...	Case 1	packages 6	£ 1,889	...	...	£ s.
United States of America:							
On the Pacific ...	1 " ...	...	...	70	...	...
Totals ...	59 packages ...	1	6	£ 1,959	3 packages ...	10 per cent. ad valorem	183 19 11
BUCKETS AND TUBS:	Nests	packages					
United Kingdom ...	44	712	...	£ 1,418	...	...
New South Wales ...	94	...	...	125	...	...
Victoria ...	30	...	...	58	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	170	355	...	228	...	...
On the Pacific ...	25	...	...	18	...	...
Totals ...	214	1,216	...	£ 1,847	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	184 9 9
BUILDING MATERIALS:							
United Kingdom ...	Value only ...	...	...	303	...	...
Victoria ...	" ...	...	...	143	...	...
Totals ...	Value only ...	...	...	446	...	Free.	
BUILDING MATERIALS:							
United Kingdom ...	Value only ...	...	...	2,538	...	...
Victoria ...	" ...	...	...	186	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	" ...	...	...	8	...	...
Totals ...	Value only ...	...	...	2,732	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	273 2 8
BUTTER:	Cwt. qr.						
United Kingdom ...	10 2	...	40 kegs	£ 135	...	...
New South Wales ...	87 2	...	...	280	...	...
Victoria ...	588 2	...	...	2,401	...	...
Totals ...	686 2	...	40 kegs	£ 2,885	...	1d. per lb. ...	320 9 3
CANDLES:	Cwt. qr.		Cases boxes pkg.		Cwt. qr.		
United Kingdom ...	14,472 1	...	14 34,127 2,250	83,630	...	...
New South Wales ...	565 2	...	642	2,874	...	...
Victoria ...	2,377 2	...	149 6,050	16,602	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	8	...	...	50	...	...
On the Pacific ...	...	...	...	112	...	...
Totals ...	17,423 1	...	173 40,819 2,250	103,268	8,575 2	1d. and ½d. per lb.	11,946 16 5
CANVAS:							
United Kingdom ...	612 packages ...	...	...	£ 19,430	...	...
New South Wales ...	51 "	...	...	2,700	...	...
Victoria ...	30 "	...	...	925	...	...
Fiji Islands ...	17 "	...	...	17	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	1 "	...	...	12	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	30 "	...	...	483	...	...
Totals ...	741 packages ...	...	...	£ 23,567	...	Free.	
CARPETING AND DRUGGETING:			Cases packages				
United Kingdom ...	1,329 packages ...	34	40,101	...	...	...
New South Wales ...	27 "	17	1,658	...	...	...
Victoria ...	78 "	...	1,794	...	...	...
Totals ...	1,434 packages ...	10 51	43,553	340 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem		4,260 1 9
CARRIAGES:							
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	18 number	£ 3,600	...	Free.	

* For steam tramway.

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CARRIAGES AND CARTS:							
United Kingdom	2	51	...	3,629	
New South Wales	4	406	...	5,238	
Victoria	5	30	...	1,002	
Tasmania	2	...	...	68	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	5	79	...	3,101	...	...
On the Pacific	5	5	...	190	...	...
Totals	16	573	...	13,228	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	1,322 7 9
Perambulators:							
United Kingdom	37 packages	...	5 packages	409	...	...
New South Wales	11 "	...	...	134	...	...
Victoria	215 "	...	...	1,245	...	...
Tasmania	2 "	...	...	5	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	7 "	...	...	50	...	...
Totals	272 packages	...	5 packages	1,843	2 packages ...	10 per cent. ad valorem	180 14 2
Materials:							
United Kingdom	Value only	...	...	2,599	...	...
New South Wales	"	...	...	99	...	...
Victoria	"	...	...	189	...	...
Tasmania	"	...	...	8	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	"	...	...	655	...	...
Totals	Value only	...	...	3,550	...	Free.	
Materials:							
United Kingdom	Value only	...	...	3,662	...	...
New South Wales	"	...	...	842	...	...
Victoria	"	...	...	160	...	...
Tasmania	"	...	...	221	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	"	...	...	2,538	...	...
Totals	Value only	...	...	7,423	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	742 6 0
CASKS (Empty):							
United Kingdom	142 number	...	...	25	...	...
New South Wales	100 "	...	...	10	...	...
Tasmania	47 "	...	...	335	...	...
South Sea Islands	33 "	...	...	14	...	...
Totals	322 number	...	...	384	...	Free.	
CEMENT AND PLASTER OF PARIS:							
United Kingdom	32,093 cwt.	...	...	8,104	...	Free.*	
CEMENT AND PLASTER OF PARIS:							
United Kingdom	Cwt. qr. barrels		Cwt. qr. barrels				
Victoria	200,008 3 33,723		1,050	71,052	...	...
United States of America:	837	...	...	892	...	...
On the Atlantic	1,947 2 130	306 1	1,423	...	...	...
Totals	202,793 1 34,659	306 1	1,050	73,367	1,050 barrels	1s. per barrel	4,916 3 0
CHAFF:							
Victoria	Tons cwt. bales						
	796 11 85	...	...	8,660	...	Free.	
CHAINS:							
United Kingdom	Tons cwt. qr.						
New South Wales	25 6 2	...	...	412	...	...
Victoria	2	...	...	31	...	...
South Sea Islands	6 4 1	178	
Totals	3	5	
	33 13 3	626	...	Free.	

* For construction of public works.

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CHAINS:	Tons cwt. qr.			£			
United Kingdom ...	98 13 2		1,995	
New South Wales ...	2 18		70	
Victoria ...	3 4		78	
United States of America; On the Pacific ...	11 ...	...		19	...	...
Totals ...	105 6 2 ...	...		2,162	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	216 2 9
CHEESE:	Cwt. qr.			Cwt. qr.			
United Kingdom ...	55 1 ...	50 packages	...	421	...	...
Victoria ...	2 2 ...	...		16	...	...
Totals ...	57 3 ...	50 packages	...	437	19 1 ...	1d. per lb. ...	35 15 0
CHICORY:		Cases packages					
United Kingdom ...	8,862 lb.	56		259	...	...
New South Wales ...	19,152 "	16		282	...	...
Victoria ...	10,472 "	6 14		278	...	...
Totals ...	38,486 lb.	78 14		819	40,768 lb. ...	3d. per lb. ...	990 13 6
CHINA, PORCELAIN, AND PARIAN WARE:							
United Kingdom ...	552 packages	10 packages	...	8,393	...	...
New South Wales ...	26 "	...		346	...	...
Victoria ...	66 "	...		754	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	1 "	...		3	...	...
United States of America: On the Pacific ...	1 "	...		1	...	...
China ...	65 "	...		197	...	...
Totals ...	711 packages	10 packages	...	9,694	8 packages ...	10 per cent. ...	977 12 0
CIDER AND PERRY (Bottled):							
United Kingdom ...	254 gallons	25 cases	...	74	347 gallons ...	1s. 3d. per gal.	37 12 11
CIDER AND PERRY (in Bulk):							
United Kingdom ...	203 gallons	1 cask	...	37	46 gallons ...	1s. per gallon	12 8 10
COALS:							
United Kingdom ...	1,798 tons	...		2,645	...	...
New South Wales ...	172,254 "	...		265,646	...	...
Victoria ...	76 "	...		124	...	...
Tasmania ...	20 "	...		21	...	...
Totals ...	174,148 tons	...		268,436	...	Free.	
COCOA AND CHOCOLATE:		Cases packages					
United Kingdom ...	201,574 lb.	452 131		18,549	...	...
New South Wales ...	946 "	...		77	...	...
Victoria ...	22,416 "	10		1,644	...	...
Totals ...	224,936 lb.	462 131		20,270	42,849 lb. ...	3d. per lb. ...	3,347 6 2
COCOA BEANS:							
United Kingdom ...	224 lb.	...		15	...	...
New South Wales ...	336 "	...		19	...	...
Totals ...	560 lb.	...		34	...	3d. per lb. ...	7 0 0
COFFEE:							
United Kingdom ...	63,311 lb.	14 barrels, 3 cases, 4 crates, 8 pkg.		5,722	...	...
New South Wales ...	23,574 "	50 barrels, 49 bags, 5 packages		3,163	...	...
Victoria ...	102,391 "	6 tierces, 7 cases, 77 barrels, 3 crates, 6 packages		8,797	...	...
Tasmania ...	61 "	...		5	...	...
Fiji Islands ...	81 "	...		4	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	5,069 "	16 barrels, 201 bags		1,360	...	...
United States of America: On the Atlantic ...	28 "	...		2	
On the Pacific	64 bags	...	379	
Mauritius ...	8 "	...		1	

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COFFEE— <i>continued.</i>						
China	...	50 bags	£ 200	
Java	...	682 bags	4,080	
Totals	...	194,523 lb. ...	23,713	134,272 lb. ...	3d. and 5d. per lb.	4,157 9 10
COKE AND FUEL :						
United Kingdom :	122 tons	...	437	...	...
New South Wales	310½ "	...	1,153	...	...
Totals	...	432½ tons	1,590	...	Free.	
CONFECTIONERY :						
United Kingdom	1,430 packages	Cases 86	11,031	...	...
New South Wales	27 "	packages 258	85	...	...
Victoria	609 "	...	1,884	...	...
Totals	...	2,066 packages	13,000	249 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	1,270 6 11
Boiled Sugars :						
United Kingdom	189,439½ lb.	Cases 192	7,598	...	...
New South Wales	509 "	packages 161	19	...	...
Victoria	117,999½ "	...	4,562	...	...
United States of America :						
On the Pacific	6 "	...	20	...	...
China	750 "	...	7	...	...
Totals	...	308,704 lb. ...	12,206	43,638 lb. ...	2d. per lb. ...	2,936 3 5
COPPER :						
Nails :		Tons cwt. qr.				
United Kingdom	7 13 3	...	828	...	...
New South Wales	8 2	...	62	...	...
Victoria	1 11 1	...	143	...	...
Totals	...	9 13 2	1,033	...	Free.	
Pig, Bar, and Sheet :		Tons cwt. qr.				
United Kingdom	26 14 2	...	2,602	...	...
New South Wales	9 10 1	...	764	...	...
Victoria	11 5	...	913	...	...
South Sea Islands	16 1	...	35	...	...
Totals	...	48 6	4,314	...	Free.	
Rod and Bolt :		Tons cwt.				
United Kingdom	1 19	...	178	...	Free.	
Sheathing :		Tons cwt.				
United Kingdom	11 5	...	735	...	...
Victoria	6 12	...	488	...	...
South Sea Islands	10	...	15	...	...
Totals	...	18 7	1,238	...	Free.	
COPPERWARE :						
United Kingdom	35 packages	...	213	...	...
New South Wales	1 "	...	7	...	...
Victoria	11 "	...	172	...	...
Totals	...	47 packages	392	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	39 3 1
COPRA :						
Fiji Islands	28 tons	...	400	...	...
South Sea Islands	493 "	...	6,813	...	...
Totals	...	521 tons	7,213	...	Free.	
CORDAGE (Wire) :		Cwt. No.				
New South Wales	10	...	70	
India	2 (hawsers)	...	123	
Totals	...	10 2 (hawsers)	193	...	Free.	

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CORDAGE :							
United Kingdom	130 19 3	37	6	£ 8,705	
New South Wales	85 9 3	12		4,399	
Victoria	114 18 2		164	6,620	
South Sea Islands	3		...	8	...	...
United States of America :							
On the Atlantic	15 9 3		...	756	...	...
India	14 1		...	560	...	...
China	4 8		...	200	...	...
Java	3 8	93		254	...	...
Totals	368 17 3	142	170	21,502	3 19 1	5s. per cwt. ...	1,864 6 0
CORK AND CORKS :							
United Kingdom	678 packages	...	...	4,358	...	...
New South Wales	1 "	...	...	1	...	...
Victoria	136 "	...	...	1,140	...	...
South Sea Islands	1 "	...	...	10	...	...
United States of America :							
On the Atlantic	3 "	...	...	30	...	...
Totals	819 packages	...	...	5,539	...	Free.	
COTTON :							
United Kingdom	168 lb.	...	...	15	...	...
South Sea Islands	18,462 "	...	...	592	...	...
Totals	18,630 lb.	...	...	607	...	Free.	
COTTONS :							
United Kingdom	2,427 packages	...	Cases	packages			
New South Wales	31 "	...	5	1,163	132,614	...	
Victoria	89 "	...		14	1,842	...	
South Sea Islands	6 "	...	1	9	3,166	...	
United States of America :				13	508	...	
On the Atlantic	89 "	...		78	3,955	...	
Totals	2,642 packages	...	6	1,277	142,085	927 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem
COTTON SEED :							
Fiji Islands	27 tons	...		90	...	...
South Sea Islands	6½ "	...		20	...	...
Totals	33½ tons	...		110	...	Free.	
COTTON WASTE :							
United Kingdom	322 packages	...		2,838	...	...
New South Wales	8 "	...		81	...	...
Victoria	98 "	...		637	...	...
Totals	428 packages	...		3,556	...	Free.	
CURIOSITIES :							
New South Wales	1 package	...		5	...	...
Fiji Islands	13 "	...		27	...	...
South Sea Islands	7 "	...		6	...	...
United States of America :							
On the Pacific	1 "	...		5	...	...
Totals	22 packages	...		43	...	Free.	
CUTLERY :							
United Kingdom	239 packages	...	1 package	...	£ 12,447	...	
New South Wales	18 "	...	1 package	...	652	...	
Victoria	13 "	...			382	...	
United States of America :							
On the Atlantic	15 "	...			567	...	
Totals	285 packages	...	1 package	...	14,048	1 package	10 per cent. ad valorem
DOORS AND SASHES :							
Victoria	356 number	...		125	...	...
United States of America :							
On the Atlantic	5,727 "	...		2,383	
Totals	6,083 number	...		2,508	...	1s. each, and 1s. per pair	272 19 0

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DOCK MATERIAL ...	Value only	£ 200	...	Free.	£ s. d.
DRAPERY:		Bales cases pkg.				
United Kingdom	23,264 packages ...	27 154 1,831	1,102,140	
New South Wales	276 " ...	2 1 25	12,736	...	...
Victoria	2,272 " ...	1 3 131	108,134	...	...
Tasmania	10 " ...	...	58	...	...
South Sea Islands	7 " ...	...	123	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	20 " ...	10	681	...	...
On the Pacific	1 " ...	...	29	...	...
China	6 " ...	...	46	...	...
Totals ...	25,856 packages ...	30 158 1,997	1,223,947	681 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	122,054 17 6
DRUGS:						
United Kingdom	223 packages ...	...	471	...	...
Victoria	118 " ...	...	330	...	...
Totals ...	341 packages ...	...	801	...	Free.	
DRUGS:		Cases packages				
United Kingdom	2,712 packages ...	42 391	28,411	...	...
New South Wales	224 " ...	3 45	2,093	...	...
Victoria	484 " ...	1 4	3,902	...	...
Tasmania	1 " ...	...	24	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	217 " ...	98 511	4,310	...	...
On the Pacific	2 " ...	...	6	...	...
Mauritius	3 " ...	...	6	...	...
China	18 " ...	...	55	...	...
Totals ...	3,661 packages ...	144 951	38,807	1,287 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	3,914 9 2
DRUGGISTS' WARES:						
United Kingdom	1,028 packages ...	...	2,873	...	...
New South Wales	216 " ...	...	335	...	...
Victoria	1,571 " ...	...	2,802	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	1 " ...	...	37	...	...
Totals ...	2,816 packages ...	...	6,047	...	Free.	
DRUGGISTS' WARES:		Cases packages				
United Kingdom	4,771 packages ...	76 812	28,620	...	...
New South Wales	192 " ...	...	1,238	...	...
Victoria	677 " ...	...	3,316	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	749 " ...	...	2,860	...	...
On the Pacific	5 " ...	...	57	...	...
South Sea Islands	2 " ...	...	6	...	...
China	10 " ...	...	22	...	...
Totals ...	6,406 packages ...	76 1,348	36,119	1,867 packages	10 per cent. *1d. per lb., and 1s. per cwt.	3,681 9 2
DYE:						
United Kingdom	306 packages ...	...	1,633	...	...
New South Wales	5 " ...	...	3	...	...
Victoria	29 " ...	...	109	...	...
Totals ...	340 packages ...	...	1,745	...	Free.	
DYE STUFFS ...	2 packages ...	...	26	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	2 12 0
EARTHENWARE:						
United Kingdom	40 packages	332	
Victoria	5 "	20	
Totals ...	45 packages	352	...	Free.	

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EARTHENWARE:						
United Kingdom	6,159 packages	93 packages	£ 35,434	
New South Wales	131 "	...	1,593	
Victoria	290 "	...	889	...	...
India	6 "	...	38	...	...
China	3 "	...	9	...	...
Totals	6,589 packages	93 packages	£ 37,963	100 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	£ 3,812 19 3
EGGS:						
Victoria	5 packages	...	109	...	...
China	40 "	...	17	...	...
Totals	45 packages	...	126	...	Free.	
ENGINE PACKING:						
United Kingdom	85 packages	...	£ 1,966	...	...
New South Wales	2 "	...	7	...	...
Victoria	6 "	...	47	...	...
Totals	93 packages	...	£ 1,920	...	Free.	
FANCY GOODS:						
United Kingdom	2,996 packages	185 packages	£ 73,460	...	...
New South Wales	508 "	9 "	10,250	...	...
Victoria	497 "	1 "	4,487	...	...
South Australia	1 "	...	2	...	...
Tasmania	1 "	...	7	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	112 "	...	943	...	...
On the Pacific	63 "	...	1,099	...	...
India	139 "	...	61	...	...
China	312 "	...	813	...	...
France	2 "	...	45	...	...
Germany	56 "	...	906	...	...
Totals	4,687 packages	195 packages	£ 92,073	263 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	£ 9,310 8 5
FELT:						
United Kingdom	415 packages	...	£ 1,249	...	...
New South Wales	25 "	...	34	...	...
Victoria	35 "	...	108	...	...
Totals	475 packages	...	£ 1,391	...	Free.	
FIRE-ENGINES, HOSE, ETC.:						
United Kingdom	69 packages	...	£ 3,135	...	...
Victoria	15 "	...	427	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	9 "	...	69	...	...
On the Pacific	3 "	...	193	...	...
Totals	96 packages	...	£ 3,824	...	Free.	
FIREWORKS:						
United Kingdom	7 packages	...	68	...	...
Victoria	4 "	...	25	...	...
China	300 "	...	256	...	...
Totals	311 packages	...	£ 349	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	£ 34 18 0
FISH:						
Potted and Preserved:		Cases	packages			
United Kingdom	5,088 packages	268	1,387	£ 14,414	...	
New South Wales	1,336 "	10	14	2,177	...	
Victoria	2,860 "	105	550	5,228	...	
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	1,554 "	370	965	2,892	...	
On the Pacific	6,716 "	1,135	2,029	12,681	...	
Canada	100 "	...	400	608	...	
China	301 "	...	...	161	...	
France	36 "	...	250	580	...	
Totals	17,891 packages	1,888	5,595	£ 38,741	4,839 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem, and 1d. per lb.

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FISH—continued.				£			£ s.
Salted:	Cwt. qr.	Brl. cases	pkg.		Cwt. qr.		
United Kingdom	3,126 3	175	60	6,367	
New South Wales	20	...	...	39	...	...
Victoria	524 2	...	2	1,446	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	26 3	20	100	148	...	...
On the Pacific	337 3	...	100	608	...	...
China	66 2	...	...	175	...	...
Totals	4,102 1	20	177 260	8,783	133 2	2s. per cwt. ...	423 12 11
FLOCK:							
United Kingdom	5 cwt.	...	...	3	...	...
New South Wales	15 "	...	...	60	...	...
Victoria	17 "	...	...	58	...	...
Totals	37 cwt.	...	...	121	...	Free.	
FLOUR:							
United Kingdom	2,002½ centals	Hhd. brl.	bags	984	...	...
New South Wales	2 "	49	37	1	...	...
Victoria	40,386 "	...	...	3,010	35,010	...	
South Australia	12,858 "	...	...	1,800	13,903	...	
South Sea Islands	16 "	...	...	10	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Pacific	1½ "	...	...	1	...	...
Totals	55,266½ centals	49	37	4,810	49,909	1s. per cental	2,851 15 11
FRUITS:							
Bottled and Preserved:							
United Kingdom	1,091 packages	107 packages	...	1,467	...	...
New South Wales	177 "	13 "	...	91	...	...
Victoria	45 "	...	...	62	...	...
Tasmania	113 "	...	...	87	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	370 "	75	...	347	...	...
On the Pacific	435 "	340	...	972	...	...
Mauritius	2 "	...	...	2	...	...
China	15 "	...	...	8	...	...
France	20 "	...	...	24	...	...
Totals	2,268 packages	535 packages	...	3,060	288 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem, and *1s. per doz.	271 17 0
Dried:					Cwt. qr.		
United Kingdom	Cwt. qr.	8 tanks, 22 barrels, 239 bx., 363 pkg.		5,305	...	...
New South Wales	179 1	30 packages	...	481	...	...
Victoria	578 3	126 boxes	...	2,163	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	123	40 kegs, 115 pkg.	...	389	...	...
On the Pacific	63 2	50 barrels, 45 boxes	...	185	...	...
China	53 3	7 boxes	...	96	...	...
France	25 3	...	...	129	...	...
Totals	3,172 3	8 tanks, 72 barrels, 40 kegs, 417 bx., 508 packages		8,748	1,161 1	1d. and 3d. per lb.	2,043 18 7
Currants:					Cwt. qr.		
United Kingdom	Cwt. qr.	Boxes casks	pkg.	20,836	...	...
New South Wales	7,748 2	1,316 1,417	1,024	...	...	...
Victoria	184	72 9	264	1,208	...	...
Totals	1,553 2	25 44	48	2,889	...	...
Raisins:					Cwt. qr.		
United Kingdom	Cwt. qr.	53 tanks, 10 bdl., 60 cases, 218 bx., 384 packages		12,536	
New South Wales	4,346	2 cases, 110 boxes	...	377	
Victoria	1,227 2	50 boxes	...	2,519	

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FRUITS—continued.			£	Cwt. qr.		£ s. d.
Raisins—continued.	Cwt. qr.					
South Australia ...	78 3	130	
United States of America:						
On the Pacific ...	3 ...	... 500 boxes ...	2	...	...
Mauritius ...	2 ...	...	401	...	...
Totals ...	5,778 2 ...	53 tanks, 10 bdl., 62 cases, 878 bx., 384 packages	15,965	2,256 3 ...	1d. per lb. ...	3,750 18 7
Green :						
New South Wales ...	40,651 packages	...	21,891	...	...
Victoria ...	18,158 "	...	11,574	...	...
South Australia ...	5 "	...	7	...	...
Tasmania ...	33,402 "	...	11,695	...	...
Norfolk Island ...	625 "	...	128	...	...
Fiji Islands ...	6,081 "	...	825	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	2,115 "	...	1,208	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific ...	2,563 "	...	1,683	...	...
Totals ...	103,600 packages	...	49,011	...	Free.	
FURNITURE :						
United Kingdom ...	24 packages ...	...	485	...	...
New South Wales ...	3 " ...	...	40	...	...
Victoria ...	4 " ...	...	48	...	...
Totals ...	31 packages ...	...	573	...	Free.	
FURNITURE :						
United Kingdom ...	2,904 packages ...	Cases 7	packages 108	53,135	...	...
New South Wales ...	383 "		1	2,939	...	
Victoria ...	894 "	...	...	14,588	...	
Tasmania ...	2 "	...	...	5	...	
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	6,061 "	...	...	14,152	...	
On the Pacific ...	31 "	...	...	239	...	
India ...	90 "	...	...	151	...	
China ...	350 "	...	...	285	...	
Totals ...	10,715 packages ...	7	109	85,494	111 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem
GAS PLANT :						
United Kingdom ...	Value only ...	...	31,432	...	...
New South Wales ...	" ...	...	356	...	...
Victoria ...	" ...	...	1,453	...	...
Totals ...	Value only ...	...	33,241	...	Free.	
GLASS :						
<i>Bottles :</i>						
United Kingdom ...	3,339 packages ...	...	8,062	...	...
New South Wales ...	21 " ...	...	126	...	...
Victoria ...	629 "	...	2,402	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	18 "	...	10	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	80 "	...	293	...	...
Totals ...	4,087 packages ...	...	10,893	...	Free.	
<i>Plate :</i>						
United Kingdom ...	496 packages ...	12 packages ...	5,251	...	...
Victoria ...	85 "	...	2,586	...	...
Totals ...	581 packages ...	12 packages ...	7,837	12 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	783 14 2
<i>Window :</i>						
United Kingdom ...	15,506 packages ...	63 packages ...	21,782	...	...
Victoria ...	456 " ...	...	935	...	...
Totals ...	15,962 packages ...	63 packages ...	22,717	101 packages	1s. per 100 feet superficial	975 15 5

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GLASS— <i>continued.</i>			£			£ s. d.
<i>Glassware:</i>			92	...	Free.	
United Kingdom	7 packages				
<i>Glassware:</i>						
United Kingdom	2,526 packages ...	Cases 24 packages 96	19,090	...	...
New South Wales	170 " ...	...	1,187	...	...
Victoria	165 " ...	1	1,491	...	...
South Sea Islands	1 " ...	...	1	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	147 " ...	...	349	...	...
India	1 " " ...	...	2	...	...
Totals	3,010 packages ...	25 96	22,120	175 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	2,257 15 0
GLUE:						
United Kingdom	Cwt. qr. 86 2 ...	Casks 1 packages 7	275	Cwt. qr.		
New South Wales	123 3 ...	...	336	...	...
Victoria	27 2 ...	...	107	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	30 " ...	...	60	...	...
Totals	267 3 ...	1 7	778	20 3 ...	2s. per cwt. ...	28 18 4
GOLD LEAF:						
United Kingdom	32 packages ...	...	723	...	...
Victoria	3 " ...	...	17	...	...
Totals	35 packages ...	...	740	...	Free.	
GRAIN:						
<i>Barley:</i>						
United Kingdom	1 bushel ...	...	1	...	...
New South Wales	80 " ...	...	26	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	3,166 " ...	500 bags ...	957	...	...
Totals	3,247 bushels ...	500 bags ...	984	...	9d. per cental	68 0 3
<i>Beans and Peas:</i>						
United Kingdom	282½ bushels ...	...	151	...	...
New South Wales	38½ " ...	...	12	...	...
Victoria	938½ " ...	...	620	...	...
Tasmania	37½ " ...	...	18	...	...
Fiji Islands	49½ " ...	...	26	...	...
China	97 " ...	...	22	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	33 " ...	...	20	...	...
Totals	1,476½ bushels ...	...	869	...	9d. per cental	30 14 3
<i>Linseed:</i>						
United Kingdom	63 bushels ...	...	33	...	9d. per cental	1 8 2
<i>Maize:</i>						
New South Wales	26,679 bushels ...	...	5,904	...	...
Victoria	141½ " ...	...	27	...	...
Fiji Islands	24,175 " ...	...	5,679	...	...
South Sea Islands	9,159 " ...	...	2,151	...	...
Totals	60,154½ bushels ...	...	13,761	...	9d. per cental	1,340 14 4
<i>Malt:</i>						
United Kingdom	9,680 bushels ...	Tanks 1,560	5,880	...	...
Victoria	2,534½ " ...	21	1,872	...	...
Totals	12,214½ bushels ...	21 1,560	7,752	3,315½ bushels	1s. 6d. per bushel	1,164 11 11
<i>Oats:</i>						
United Kingdom	60 bushels ...	...	23	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	3,913 "	700	
Totals	3,973 bushels	723	...	9d. per cental	88 19 0

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GRAIN—continued.							
<i>Peas, Split:</i>	Cwt. qr.	Casks tanks pkg.	£				£ s. d.
United Kingdom	1,674	1 ...	95 1 31	1,493	
New South Wales	3	...	...	5	...	...
Victoria	122	1 ...	2	137	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	9	...	...	9	...	...
Totals	1,808	2 ...	95 1 33	1,644	42 cwt. ...	1s. per cwt. ...	92 10 10
<i>Rice:</i>	Cwt. qr.				Cwt. qr.		
United Kingdom	1,480	68 brl., 400 bg., 4 tnk.	1,849				
New South Wales	1,619	2 ...	1,360 bags	2,422	...	...
Victoria	23,723	...	11,641 bags	34,056	...	...
South Sea Islands	2	...	...	1	...	...
Mauritius	7	1 ...	...	5	...	...
China	124	2 ...	3,620 bg., 600 mats	1,766	...	...
India	56	...	3,889 bg., 160 pkts.	2,528	...	...
Java	250	...	3,066 bags	1,546	...	...
Totals	27,260	3 ...	68 brl., 23,976 bg., 4 tnk., 600 mats, 160 pockets	44,173	13,485 3 ...	½d. per lb. ...	9,507 13 8
<i>Wheat:</i>							
United Kingdom	50 bushels	...	25				
New South Wales	211 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	...	77	...	...	...
Victoria	1,923	...	352	...	...	...
South Australia	64,398 $\frac{1}{4}$	"	400 bags	19,113	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Pacific	1,095	,"	...	300	...	...
Totals	67,678	bushels ...	400 bags	19,867	...	9d. per cental	1,503 17 6
<i>Other Kinds:</i>	Bushels packages						
United Kingdom	67	...	196				
New South Wales	325	...	311	...	...	...
Victoria	44	24	170	...	...	...
India	552	12	403	...	...	...
Totals	596	428	...	1,080	...	9d. per cental	184 16 3
GRINDERY:							
United Kingdom	885 packages	8 138	21,559				
New South Wales	11	...	217	...	...	...
Victoria	500	..."	6,537	...	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	395	..."	1,104	...	...	...
Totals	1,791	packages ...	8 140	29,417	122 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	2,763 19 0
GUANO:							
United Kingdom	½ ton	...	5	...	...	...
New South Wales	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	...	72	...	...	...
Victoria	753 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	...	5,952	...	...	...
South Sea Islands	30	..."	75	...	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Pacific	173	..."	1,324	...	...	...
Totals	962 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	...	7,428	...	...	Free.	
GUTTA PERCHA GOODS:							
United Kingdom	9 packages	...	186	...	...	...
Victoria	2 "	..."	47	...	...	...
Totals	11 packages	...	233	...	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	23 6 0
HABERDASHERY:							
United Kingdom	1,467 packages	38 233	67,460	...	...	...
New South Wales	29	..."	1,376	...	...	...
Victoria	95	..."	3,903	...	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	10	..."	302	...	...	...
On the Pacific	1	..."	3	...	...	...
France	2	..."	675	...	...	...
Totals	1,604 packages	40 234	73,719	273 packages	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	7,353 4 7

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HAIR AND HAIR SEATING:							
United Kingdom	24 9 ³ ₄	4,825	...	2,979	
New South Wales	12	65	
Victoria	8 19 ¹ ₄	...	...	1,057	...	...
Tasmania	5	...	7	...	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	6	...	27	...	...	...
Totals	34 12	4,825	...	4,135	...	Free.	
HARDWARE AND IRONMONGERY:							
United Kingdom	296 packages	...	...	3,072	...	...
Victoria	105 "	...	...	761	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	13 "	...	40	...	...	...
Totals	414 packages	...	3,873	...	...	Free.*	
HARDWARE AND IRONMONGERY:							
United Kingdom	47,247	†37,025	1 case	231,710	...	...
New South Wales	471	...	...	3,161	...	...
Victoria	4,031	...	...	24,299	...	...
Tasmania	1	...	...	8	...	...
Norfolk Island	1	...	...	22	...	...
South Sea Islands	1	...	...	3	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	6,906	...	35,026	...	...	...
On the Pacific	128	...	1,089	...	...	...
Germany	1	...	65	...	...	...
Totals	58,787	†37,025	1 case	295,383	14 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	20,591 0 9
HATS AND CAPS:							
United Kingdom	2,380 packages	...	Cases 41	64,324	...	...
New South Wales	48 "	...	306	915	...	...
Victoria	94 "	...	3	2,088	...	...
South Sea Islands	7 "	...	12	31	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	1 "	...	...	6	...	...
On the Pacific	8 "	...	...	482	...	...
China	38 "	...	...	248	...	...
Totals	2,576 packages	...	44	68,094	372 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	6,812 17 6
HATTERS' MATERIAL:							
United Kingdom	10 packages	...	...	256	...	...
Victoria	5 "	...	...	152	...	...
Totals	15 packages	...	...	408	...	Free.	
HAY:							
United Kingdom	5	...	...	40	...	...
New South Wales	161 7	...	...	656	...	...
Totals	166 7	...	...	696	...	Free.	
HEMP:							
New South Wales	Tons cwt. 69 15	...	...	1,925	...	Free.	
HIDES:							
Victoria	2 packages	...	...	90	...	Free.	
HOLLOWARE:							
United Kingdom	363 packages	...	...	3,835	...	...
New South Wales	10 "	...	...	202	...	...
Victoria	20 "	...	...	194	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	50 "	...	...	122	...	...
China	10 "	...	...	4	...	...
Totals	453 packages	4,357	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	435 15 2

* For service of Government.

† Sash-weights.

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HOPS:	Cwt. qr.	Pckt. bales tnk. pkg.	£				£ s. d.
United Kingdom ...	913	106 16 14 4	7,975			...	
Victoria ...	392 2	70 138 2 23	5,120			...	
Tasmania ...	91	15 65	1,592			...	
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	436 3	68 15 20	2,181			...	
On the Pacific ...	15	...	100			...	
Germany ...							
Totals ...	1,848 1	259 254 16 27	17,083	1,155 1	...	3d. per lb. ...	4,204 17 6
HOSIERY:		Cases packages.					
United Kingdom ...	607 packages	7 33	31,102			...	
New South Wales ...	11 "	...	414			...	
Victoria ...	17 "	...	777			...	
South Sea Islands ...	1 "	...	6			...	
Totals ...	636 packages	7 34	32,299	53 packages...		10 per cent. ad valorem	3,283 19 8
INDIARUBBER GOODS:							
United Kingdom ...	50 packages	...	3,160			...	
Victoria ...	12 "	...	285			...	
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	1 "	...	4			...	
Totals ...	63 packages	...	3,449			Free.	
INDIARUBBER GOODS:							
United Kingdom ...	14 packages	7 packages	424			...	
Victoria ...	1 "	...	11			...	
Totals ...	15 packages	7 packages	435	4 packages ...		10 per cent. ad valorem	40 4 11
INSTRUMENTS:							
Musical (Pianofortes):							
United Kingdom ...	950 number	6 number	31,185			...	
New South Wales ...	80 "	5 "	3,109			...	
Victoria ...	193 "	3 "	7,929			...	
Tasmania ...	1 "	...	44			...	
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	4 "	...	205			...	
Totals ...	1,228 number	14 number	42,472	21 packages...		10 per cent. ad valorem	4,280 19 8
Musical (Other Kinds):							
New South Wales ...	4 packages	...	237			...	
Victoria ...	4 "	...	366			...	
Totals ...	8 packages	...	603			Free.*	
Musical (Other Kinds):		Cases packages					
United Kingdom ...	435 packages	3 22	12,079			...	
New South Wales ...	70 "	10 4	2,195			...	
Victoria ...	121 "	...	4,945			...	
Fiji Islands ...	1 "	...	5			...	
South Sea Islands ...	3 "	...	13			...	
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	55 "	...	1,314			...	
China ...	1 "	...	6			...	
Totals ...	686 packages	13 26	20,557	37 packages...		10 per cent. ad valorem	2,006 0 2
Optical:							
United Kingdom ...	75 packages	...	2,845			...	
New South Wales ...	12 "	...	163			...	
Victoria ...	23 "	...	511			...	
Totals ...	110 packages	...	3,519			Free.	
Scientific:							
Victoria ...	2 packages	...	39			10 per cent. ad valorem	3 17 11

* For places of public worship.

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INSTRUMENTS—<i>continued.</i>			£			
<i>Scientific:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	134 packages	4,480	
New South Wales ...	9 "	64	
Victoria ...	36 " ...	...	387	...	...
United States of America: On the Pacific ...	1 " ...	...	5	...	...
Totals ...	180 packages ...	...	4,936	...	Free.	
<i>Surgical:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	62 packages ...	...	740	...	...
New South Wales ...	4 " ...	...	26	...	...
Victoria ...	36 " ...	...	523	...	...
United States of America: On the Atlantic ...	1 " ...	...	16	...	...
Totals ...	103 packages ...	...	1,305	...	Free.	
<i>Other Kinds:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	1 package ...	...	16	...	Free.	
<i>Other Kinds:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	3 packages ...	...	92	...	...
Victoria ...	5 " ...	...	178	...	...
Totals ...	8 packages ...	...	270	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	27 0 0
IRON:						
<i>Bar and Rod:</i>	Tons cwt. qr.					
United Kingdom ...	5,787 8 0 ...	...	66,300	...	...
New South Wales ...	60 19 0 ...	...	675	...	...
Victoria ...	522 8 2 ...	...	5,979	...	...
United States of America: On the Pacific ...	5 7 0 ...	...	60	...	...
Totals ...	6,376 2 2 ...	...	73,014	...	Free.	
<i>Castings:</i>	Tons cwt.					
United Kingdom ...	95 5 ...	...	1,521	...	...
New South Wales ...	1 0 ...	...	25	...	...
Victoria ...	31 9 ...	...	494	...	...
Totals ...	127 14 ...	...	2,040	...	Free.	
<i>Castings:</i>	I package	...	17	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	1 14 0
<i>Fencing:</i>	Tons cwt. qr.					
United Kingdom ...	7,088 7 1 ...	...	97,197	...	...
New South Wales ...	53 3 ...	...	626	...	...
Victoria ...	135 17 ...	...	2,775	...	...
Totals ...	7,277 7 1 ...	...	100,598	...	1s. and 4s. per cwt.	7,293 19 10
<i>Galvanized:</i>	Tons cwt. qr.					
United Kingdom ...	7,996 16 1 ...	...	181,593	...	...
New South Wales ...	37 1 3 ...	...	917	...	...
Victoria ...	421 0 3 ...	...	10,518	...	...
Totals ...	8,454 18 3 ...	...	193,028	...	1s. per cwt. ...	8,454 14 8
<i>Hoop:</i>	Tons cwt.					
United Kingdom ...	557 11 ...	...	5,580	...	...
New South Wales ...	3 ...	...	35	...	...
Victoria ...	41 1 ...	...	563	...	...
Totals ...	601 12 ...	...	6,178	...	Free.	
<i>Pig:</i>	Tons cwt.					
United Kingdom ...	3,021	11,896	
New South Wales ...	6 16	47	
Victoria ...	55	346	
Totals ...	3,082 16	12,289	...	Free.	

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IRON—continued.				£			
<i>Pipes:</i>	Tons cwt. qr.						£ s. d.
United Kingdom ...	1,007 9		10,362	
New South Wales ...	52 14		549	
Victoria ...	108 8 2 ...	...		1,302	...	...
Totals ...	1,168 11 2 ...	...		12,213	...	Free.	
<i>Rails:</i>	Tons cwt. qr.						
United Kingdom ...	3,623 17 1 ...	...		33,615	...	...
New South Wales ...	11 ...	...		123	...	...
Victoria ...	31 2 2 ...	...		439	...	...
Totals ...	3,665 19 3 ...	...		34,177	...	Free.	
<i>Railway Chains and Bolts:</i>	Tons cwt.						
United Kingdom ...	1,262 8 ...	...		11,283	...	Free.	
<i>Sheet:</i>	Tons cwt. qr.						
United Kingdom ...	900 8 3 ...	...		10,240	...	...
New South Wales ...	50 11 ...	...		774	...	...
Victoria ...	190 3 1 ...	...		3,007	...	...
Totals ...	1,141 3 ...	...		14,021	...	Free.	
<i>Tanks:</i>							
United Kingdom ...	1,111 number ...	...		4,836	...	...
New South Wales ...	7 " ...	...		27	...	...
Victoria ...	5 " ...	...		33	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	2 " ...	...		5	...	...
United States of America: On the Atlantic ...	1 " ...	...		4	...	...
Totals ...	1,126 number ...	...		4,905	...	Free.	
<i>Undescribed:</i>	Tons cwt. qr. pkg.						
United Kingdom ...	20 8 751	...		622	...	...
New South Wales ...	3 12 2 13	...		94	...	...
Victoria ...	2 2 7	...		56	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	2	...		21	...	...
Totals ...	28 2 2 771	...		793	...	Free.	
<i>JAMS AND JELLIES:</i>		Cases packages					
United Kingdom ...	3,418 packages ...	297 395		8,326	...	...
New South Wales ...	623 " ...	...		821	...	...
Victoria ...	1,586 " ...	...		2,912	...	...
Tasmania ...	17,756 " ...	2,060 888		32,495	...	...
United States of America: On the Pacific ...	43 " ...	5		72	...	...
India ...	30 " ...	...		34	...	...
Totals ...	23,456 packages ...	2,357 1,288		44,660	4,494 packages	10 per cent., and *1d. per lb.	5,893 16 9
<i>JEWELLERY:</i>							
United Kingdom ...	114 packages ...	13 packages	...	40,352	...	...
New South Wales ...	49 " ...	...		4,132	...	...
Victoria ...	58 " ...	1 " "	...	7,025	...	...
United States of America: On the Pacific ...	3 " ...	...		75	...	...
Canada ...	1 " ...	...		1	...	...
India ...	1 " ...	...		2	...	...
Totals ...	226 packages ...	14 packages	...	51,587	16 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	5,184 12 6
<i>LAMPS AND LANTERNS:</i>							
United Kingdom ...	48 packages ...	...		794	...	Free.	
<i>LAMPS AND LANTERNS:</i>							
United Kingdom ...	658 packages ...	3 packages	...	7,660	
New South Wales ...	24 "		220	
Victoria ...	43 "		381	

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LAMPS AND LANTERNS—contd.			£			£ s. d.
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	155 packages	...	1,015	
On the Pacific	21 "	...	47	...	...
Totals	901 packages	...	9,323	41 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	969 12 6
LEAD:						
Pig:	Tons cwt. qr.					
United Kingdom	140 17 3	...	2,982	...	...
New South Wales	12 2	...	239	...	...
Victoria	3 6 1	...	79	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	5	...	90	...	...
Totals	161 4 2	...	3,390	...	Free.	
Pipes:	Tons cwt. qr.					
United Kingdom	22 8 3	...	491	...	...
Victoria	4	...	8	...	...
Totals	22 12 3	...	499	...	10 per cent. ad valorem, and *2/6 per cwt.	51 8 11
Sheet:	Tons cwt. qr.					
United Kingdom	786 13 2	...	17,425	...	...
Victoria	45 19 2	...	1,299	...	...
Totals	832 13 .	...	18,724	...	Free.	
Ware:						
United Kingdom	114 packages	...	330	...	...
Victoria	17 "	...	129	...	...
Totals	131 packages	...	459	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	46 0 11
LEATHER:	Cwt. qr.	Pkg. bales cases	Cwt. qr.			
United Kingdom	2,279 3	36	41,107	...	...
New South Wales	340 2	...	3,561	...	...
Victoria	2,071 1	1 1 3	24,393	...	...
Tasmania	22	...	324	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	212	...	3,245	...	...
On the Pacific	18	...	178	...	...
Totals	4,943 2	37 1 3	72,808	176 3	1d. and ½d. per lb.	2,110 17 3
Ware:						
United Kingdom	34 packages	1 package	724	...	...
New South Wales	9 "	...	76	...	...
Victoria	24 "	...	676	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	25 "	...	78	...	...
Totals	92 packages	1 package	1,554	1 package	10 per cent. ad valorem	155 7 9
LINENS:		Bales cases pkg.				
United Kingdom	440 packages	5 8 42	18,621	...	...
New South Wales	1 "	1	176	...	...
Victoria	21 "	...	573	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	2 "	...	35	...	...
Totals	464 packages	5 9 42	19,405	42 packages...	10 per cent. ad valorem	1,890 3 11
LIVE STOCK:						
Deer:						
Victoria	1 package	...	10	

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LIVE STOCK—continued.			£			£ s. d.
Dogs:						
United Kingdom	50 number	...	542	
New South Wales	2 "	...	25	
Victoria	42 "	...	412	...	...
Tasmania	14 "	...	75	...	...
Totals	108 number	...	1,054	...	Free.	
Horned Cattle:						
New South Wales	35 number	...	2,544	...	...
Victoria	52 "	...	2,079	...	...
Tasmania	2 "	...	9	...	...
Totals	89 number	...	4,632	...	Free.	
Horses:						
United Kingdom	20 number	...	10,850	...	...
New South Wales	10 "	...	3,070	...	...
Victoria	128 "	...	11,316	...	...
Tasmania	71 "	...	3,300	...	...
Totals	229 number	...	28,536	...	Free.	
Poultry:						
United Kingdom	6 packages	...	77	...	...
Victoria	11 "	...	63	...	...
Tasmania	4 "	...	32	...	...
China	1 "	...	2	...	...
Totals	22 packages	...	174	...	Free.	
Sheep:						
New South Wales	173 number	...	2,478	...	...
Victoria	811 "	...	3,307	...	...
Tasmania	231 "	...	1,955	...	...
Totals	1,215 number	...	7,740	...	Free.	
Unenumerated:						
United Kingdom	29 number	...	80	...	...
New South Wales	13 "	...	14	...	...
Victoria	23 "	...	31	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	1 "	...	5	...	...
Totals	66 number	...	130	...	Free.	
MACHINERY:						
Agricultural:						
United Kingdom	3,317 packages	...	48,560	...	...
New South Wales	23 "	...	94	...	...
Victoria	560 "	...	5,470	...	...
South Sea Islands	2 "	...	200	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	11,961 "	...	83,276	...	...
On the Pacific	379 "	...	3,605	...	...
Totals	16,242 packages	...	141,205	...	Free.	
Mill:						
United Kingdom	666 packages	...	7,284	...	...
New South Wales	1 "	...	2	...	...
Victoria	55 "	...	837	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	5 "	...	116	...	...
On the Pacific	50 "	...	923	...	...
Totals	777 packages	...	9,162	...	Free.	
Quartz-crushing:						
United Kingdom	210 packages	...	656	...	...
New South Wales	12 "	...	9	...	...
Victoria	412 "	...	3,327	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	6 "	...	280	
Totals	640 packages	...	4,272	...	Free.	

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MACHINERY—continued.			£			£ s. d.
Sawing and Planing:						
United Kingdom	425 packages	...	7,506	
New South Wales	1 "	...	2	...	...
Victoria	112 "	...	1,895	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	81 "	...	3,281	...	...
On the Pacific	55 "	...	1,846	...	...
Totals	674 packages	...	14,530	...	Free.	
Sewing:						
United Kingdom	509 packages	...	6,008	...	...
New South Wales	140 "	...	1,536	...	...
Victoria	617 "	...	5,028	...	...
Tasmania	1 "	...	4	...	...
South Sea Islands	5 "	...	15	...	...
Canada	6 "	...	90	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	51 "	...	585	...	...
On the Pacific	2 "	...	8	...	...
Totals	1,331 packages	...	13,274	...	Free.	
Steam-engines:						
United Kingdom	78 number	...	23,336	...	...
Victoria	10 "	...	3,114	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	3 "	...	439	...	...
Totals	91 number	...	26,889	...	Free.	
Boilers:	No. packages					
United Kingdom	8 16	...	1,507	...	...
New South Wales	2	...	81	...	...
Victoria	4	...	614	...	...
Totals	14 16	...	2,202	...	Free.	
Wool and Hay Pressing:						
United Kingdom	10 packages	...	121	...	...
Victoria	23 "	...	286	...	...
Totals	33 packages	...	407	...	Free.	
Other Kinds:						
United Kingdom	1,655 packages	...	23,766	...	...
New South Wales	208 "	...	3,692	...	...
Victoria	2,303 "	...	22,249	...	...
Tasmania	10 "	...	45	...	...
South Sea Islands	17 "	...	131	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	382 "	...	2,113	...	...
On the Pacific	243 "	...	2,623	...	...
Totals	4,818 packages	...	54,619	...	Free.	
MAPS AND CHARTS:						
United Kingdom	18 packages	...	197	...	...
New South Wales	20 "	...	628	...	...
Victoria	10 "	...	264	...	...
Tasmania	1 "	...	22	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	16 "	...	680	...	...
Totals	65 packages	...	1,791	...	Free.	
MARBLE:	Tons cwt. pkgs.					
United Kingdom	5 16 160	...	1,703	...	...
New South Wales	1 4	...	63	...	...
Victoria	2 40	...	254	
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	4	...	70	
Totals	5 19 208	...	2,090	...	Free.	

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MARBLE MANTELPieces:						
United Kingdom	29 packages	...	£ 194	
Victoria	1 " "	...	11	
Totals	30 packages	...	205	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	20 10 0
MATCHES AND VESTAS:						
United Kingdom	5,550 packages	66 packages	27,525	...	...
New South Wales	712 "	...	3,504	...	...
Victoria	776 "	...	3,410	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	5 "	...	17	...	...
Totals	7,043 packages	66 packages	34,456	66 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	3,445 11 4
MATS AND RUGS:		Bales cases pkg.				
United Kingdom	378 packages	2 48	6,746	...	...
New South Wales	5 "	1	76	...	...
Victoria	34 "	...	802	...	...
South Australia	1 "	...	6	...	...
Tasmania	20 "	...	554	...	...
South Sea Islands	13 "	1	28	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	1 "	...	2	...	...
India	2 "	...	31	...	...
Totals	454 packages	2 1 49	8,245	52 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	824 8 8
MATTING:						
China:		Rolls packages				
United Kingdom	240 packages	10	1,934	...	...
New South Wales	707 "	...	900	...	...
Victoria	264 "	...	593	...	...
China	1,781 "	108 692	2,461	...	...
Totals	2,992 packages	108 702	5,888	418 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	579 4 0
Coir:		Bales packages				
United Kingdom	539 packages	46	4,539	...	...
New South Wales	192 "	...	242	...	...
Victoria	62 "	2	193	...	...
India	16 "	...	49	...	...
Totals	809 packages	2 46	5,023	94 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	520 8 4
MEAL:						
Linseed:	Cwt. qr.	Casks packages		Cwt. qr.		
United Kingdom	153 1	1 8	190	...	...
Victoria	32 2	...	47	...	...
Totals	185 3	1 8	237	66 3 ...	1s. per cental.	14 2 9
Maizena and Corn:	Cwt. qr. pkg.	Cases packages		Cwt. qr.		
United Kingdom	555 2 227	577 481	3,686	...	...
New South Wales	18 1 200	...	187	...	...
Victoria	198 2 30	10 1 30	720	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	750	545 200	2,269	...	...
Totals	1,522 1 457	1,132 711	6,862	463 2	10 per cent. ad valorem	566 7 10
Oaten:	Cwt. qr.	Cases casks		Cwt. qr.		
United Kingdom	418 1	30 41	434	...	...
Victoria	2	...	2	...	...
Totals	418 3	30 41	436	101 3 ...	1s. per cental	29 3 2
MEATS (Potted and Preserved):		Cases packages				
United Kingdom	543 packages	35 140	1,781	
New South Wales	63 "	...	180	
Victoria	31 "	...	54	
Tasmania	9 "	...	101	

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MEATS (Potted and Preserved) —continued.			£			£ s. d.
South Sea Islands ...	1 package ...	Cases packages	7	
United States of America: On the Pacific ...	80 " ...	10	123	...	...
China ...	46 " ...	...	31	...	...
France ...	9 " ...	-	101	...	...
Totals ...	782 packages ...	35 150	2,378	10 per cent. ad valorem.	15 packages	206 18 9
METAL (Composition, Sheath-ing):	Cwt. qr.					
United Kingdom ...	1,419 2 ...	...	5,435	...	...
New South Wales ...	38 ...	...	149	...	...
South Australia ...	237 ...	...	903	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	20 ...	...	35	...	...
Totals ...	1,714 2 ...		6,522	...	Free.	
MILLINERY:						
United Kingdom ...	429 packages ...	7 packages ...	21,793	...	...
New South Wales ...	4 " ...	...	106	...	...
Victoria ...	26 " ...	...	1,158	...	...
Totals ...	459 packages ...	7 packages ...	23,957	13 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	2,334 16 11
MISCELLANEOUS:						
United Kingdom ...	Valu ...	...	45,114	...	...
New South Wales ...	" ...	...	8,887	...	...
Victoria ...	" ...	...	16,511	...	...
South Australia ...	" ...	...	260	...	...
Tasmania ...	" ...	...	240	...	...
Norfolk Island ...	" ...	...	70	...	...
Fiji Islands ...	" ...	...	196	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	" ...	...	1,420	...	...
United States of America: On the Atlantic ...	" ...	...	2,758	...	...
On the Pacific ...	" ...	...	1,707	...	...
Mauritius ...	" ...	...	4	...	...
India ...	" ...	...	100	...	...
China ...	" ...	...	2	...	...
France ...	" ...	...	150	...	...
Germany ...	" ...	...	88	...	...
Totals ...	Value ...	...	77,507	...	...	318 17 9
NAILS AND SCREWS:						
United Kingdom ...	43,807½ cwt. ...	...	37,889	...	...
New South Wales ...	397 " ...	...	403	...	...
Victoria ...	1,910½ " ...	...	2,018	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	15 " ...	...	17	...	...
United States of America: On the Atlantic ...	770½ " ...	...	1,438	...	...
On the Pacific ...	154 " ...	...	285	...	...
Totals ...	47,054½ cwt. ...	...	42,050	...	10 per cent. ad valorem and 2s. per cwt.	4,450 2 11
NUTS:						
Almonds:		Casks cases pkg.				
United Kingdom ...	299 packages ...	10 12 50	2,214	...	...
New South Wales ...	21 " ...	...	41	...	...
Victoria ...	106 " ...	...	353	...	...
South Australia ...	1 " ...	...	3	...	...
Totals ...	427 packages ...	10 12 50	2,611	74 packages	1d. and 3d. per lb.	475 1 1
Cocoa:						
United Kingdom ...	40 number ...	...	1	...	...
New South Wales ...	18,298 " ...	...	486	...	...
Victoria ...	5,638 " ...	...	103	...	...
Fiji Islands ...	13,060 "	44	
South Sea Islands ...	7,000 "	35	
Java ...	5,000 "	40	
Totals ...	49,056 number	709	...	Free.	

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NUTS—continued.				£			
Other Kinds:		Casks	tanks	pkg.			
United Kingdom	473 packages	17	3	99	2,055
New South Wales	225 "	1			350	...	...
Victoria	43 "				102	...	...
China	47 "				26	...	...
Totals	788 packages	18	3	99	2,533	124 packages	1d. per lb. ...
OAKUM:							£ s. d.
United Kingdom	299 cwt.	...			485	...	...
New South Wales	10 "	...			16	...	...
Victoria	5 "	...			10	...	...
South Australia	79 "	...			120	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	470 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	...			686	...	...
Totals	863 $\frac{3}{4}$ cwt.	...			1,317	...	Free.
OARS:							
United Kingdom	50 number	...			21	...	...
New South Wales	506 "	...			148	...	...
Victoria	70 "	...			78	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	1,827 "	...			267	...	...
Totals	2,453 number	...			514	...	Free.
Oil:							
Castor:							
United Kingdom	3,706 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons	...			992	...	...
New South Wales	2,445 "	...			584	...	...
Victoria	19,547 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	...			4,615	...	...
India	46,534 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	...	150 cases	...	9,420	...	...
Totals	72,233 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons	...	150 cases	...	15,611	707 gallons	6d. per gallon
Cocoanut:							£ s. d.
United Kingdom	815 gallons	...			181	...	...
New South Wales	1,671 "	...			277	...	...
Victoria	632 "	...			106	...	...
South Sea Islands	861 "	...			105	...	...
Totals	3,979 gallons	...			669	...	Free.
Colza:		Drums	btl.	pkg.			
United Kingdom	37,057 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons	349	9	55	7,605	...	...
New South Wales	90 "	...			27	...	...
Victoria	957 "	...			216	...	...
Totals	38,104 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons	349	9	55	7,848	2,277 gallons	6d. per gallon
Kerosene:							£ s. d.
United Kingdom	600 gallons	250 cases	...		198	...	...
New South Wales	20,280 "	845 "	...		2,431	...	...
Victoria	89,755 "	1,730 "	...		7,571	...	...
South Sea Islands	84 "	...			9	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	200,344 "	65,367 "	...		48,483	...	...
Totals	311,063 gallons	68,192 cases	...		59,592	337,833 gal.	6d. per gallon
Linseed:							£ s. d.
United Kingdom	165,666 $\frac{1}{4}$ gallons	10 hhd., 920 drums, 37 btl., 72 pkg.	28,308	...	...	...	...
New South Wales	250 "	...			43	...	...
Victoria	2,911 "	...			559	...	...
Totals	168,827 $\frac{3}{4}$ gallons	10 hhd., 920 drums, 37 btl., 72 pkg.	28,910	5,534 gallons	6d. per gallon	4,359	1 2
Olive:							
United Kingdom	12,102 gallons	...			3,697
New South Wales	25 "	...			9
Victoria	1,243 "	...			388
Totals	13,370 gallons	...			4,094	...	Free.

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OIL—continued.			£			£ s. d.
Palm:						
United Kingdom	... 110 gallons	25	
Paraffin:						
United Kingdom	... 11,600 gallons	1,650	...	Free.*	
Sperm:						
United Kingdom	... 4,891 gallons ...	...	967	...	...
Victoria	... 116 " ...	...	29	...	...
Norfolk Island	... 10 " ...	...	3	...	...
South Sea Islands	... 970 " ...	...	153	...	...
Whale Fishery	... 29,692 " ...	...	8,900	...	...
Totals	... 35,679 gallons ...	...	10,052	...	Free.	
Petroleum:						
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	... 1,600 gallons ...	...	80	...	6d. per gallon	40 0 0
Other Kinds:						
United Kingdom	... 27,963 gallons ...	...	3,801	...	...
New South Wales	... 40 " ...	...	12	...	...
Victoria	... 2,107 " ...	...	750	...	...
Whale Fishery	... 2,530 " ...	...	300	...	...
Totals	... 32,630 gallons ...	...	4,863	...	Free.	
Other Kinds:		Brl. drums cas. pkg.				
United Kingdom	... 8,113½ gallons ...	20 15	1,837	...	...
New South Wales	... 340 " ...	70 17	160	...	...
Victoria	... 1,629 " ...	...	382	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	... 690 " ...	...	116	...	...
On the Pacific	... 80 " ...	...	20	...	...
China	... 2,650 " ...	750	1,683	...	...
Totals	... 13,502½ gallons ...	20 15 820 17	4,198	6,120½ gallons	6d. per gallon	490 11 9
OILCLOTH:		Cases packages				
United Kingdom	... 1,181 packages ...	5 292	16,580	...	...
New South Wales	... 4 " ...	2	99	...	...
Victoria	... 39 " ...	...	704	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	... 4 " ...	...	47	...	...
Totals	... 1,228 packages ...	5 294	17,430	193 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	1,654 4 8
OILMEN'S STORES:						
United Kingdom	... 776 packages ...	...	1,424	...	...
New South Wales	... 70 " ...	...	123	...	...
Victoria	... 415 " ...	...	677	...	...
Totals	... 1,262 packages ...	...	2,224	...	Free.	
OILMEN'S STORES:		Cases packages				
United Kingdom	... 25,116 packages ...	1,781 4,496	64,938	...	...
New South Wales	... 469 " ...	12 11	2,147	...	...
Victoria	... 3,472 " ...	59 30	8,442	...	...
Queensland	... 10 " ...	...	21	...	...
Tasmania	... 251 " ...	...	411	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	... 226 " ...	...	149	...	...
On the Pacific	... 350 " ...	...	430	...	...
India	... 103 " ...	20	264	...	...
China	... 1,406 " ...	...	625	...	...
Java	... 20 " ...	...	6	...	...
France	... 31 " ...	...	41	...	...
Totals	... 31,454 packages ...	1,852 4,557	77,474	5,363 packages	Various ...	8,731 1 4
OPIUM:						
United Kingdom	... 138 lb. ...	1 box	150	...	...
New South Wales	... " ...	17 "	1,937	...	...
Victoria	... 578 " ...	4 "	2,160	...	...
China	... 192 " ...	4 "	1,104	...	...
Totals	... 908 lb. ...	26 boxes	5,351	1,670 lb. ...	20s. per lb. ...	2,578 0 0

* For lighthouse service.

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PAINTINGS AND ENGRAVINGS :		Cases	packages				
United Kingdom ...	397 packages ...	4	5	£ 6,831	
New South Wales ...	36 " "	...	...	379	...	...
Victoria ...	66 " "	1	...	854	...	...
South Australia ...	14 " "	...	...	192	...	...
Tasmania ...	1 " "	...	...	1	...	...
United States of America :							
On the Atlantic ...	3 " "	...	...	27	...	...
On the Pacific ...	9 " "	...	...	48	...	...
China ...	13 " "	...	...	70	...	...
Totals ...	539 packages ...	5	5	8,402	12 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	845 3 8
PAINTS AND COLOURS :							
<i>Putty :</i>							
Victoria ...	36½ cwt. ...	...	...	24	...	Free.	
PAINTS AND COLOURS :	Cwt. qr.	Casks	kegs	pkts.	Cwt. qr.		
United Kingdom ...	22,929 1 ...	948	759	779	39,423	...	
New South Wales ...	69 2 ...	...	...	...	170	...	
Victoria ...	726 2 ...	...	56	...	1,558	...	
United States of America :							
On the Atlantic ...	43 1 ...	...	...	...	77	...	
On the Pacific ...	394 ...	...	17	352	2,116	...	
China ...	1 2 ...	...	...	3	...	...
Totals ...	24,164 ...	948	832	1,131	43,347	513 1	2s. per cwt. ...
PAPER :		Bales	packages				
<i>Bags :</i>							
United Kingdom ...	873 packages ...	80	61	6,530	...	...
New South Wales ...	70 " "	...	...	708	...	...
Victoria ...	309 " "	1	2	2,675	...	...
Totals ...	1,252 packages ...	81	63	9,913	231 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	1,246 14 4
<i>Hangings :</i>		Bales	packages				
United Kingdom ...	1,885 packages ...	41	48	21,334	...	...
New South Wales ...	10 " "	...	...	87	...	...
Victoria ...	139 " "	...	...	1,659	...	...
United States of America :							
On the Atlantic ...	14 " "	...	...	168	...	...
Totals ...	2,048 packages ...	41	48	23,248	89 packages ...	10 per cent. ad valorem	2,324 16 0
<i>Wrapping :</i>		Bales	packages				
United Kingdom ...	534 packages ...	48	55	4,367	...	...
New South Wales ...	136 " "	...	...	1,051	...	...
Victoria ...	135 " "	...	...	1,004	...	...
United States of America :							
On the Pacific ...	1 " "	...	...	6	...	...
Totals ...	806 packages ...	48	55	6,428	119 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	587 10 5
<i>Other Kinds :</i>							
United Kingdom ...	63 packages ...	4 packages	...	403	...	...
New South Wales ...	2 " "	...	...	13	...	...
Victoria ...	8 " "	...	...	106	...	...
United States of America :							
On the Atlantic ...	10 " "	...	...	40	...	...
Totals ...	83 packages ...	4 packages	...	562	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	28 11 1
PERFUMERY :		Cases	packages				
United Kingdom ...	815 packages ...	5	215	£ 8,179	...	...
New South Wales ...	4 " "	...	...	63	...	...
Victoria ...	38 " "	...	1	286	...	...
United States of America :							
On the Atlantic ...	218 " "	18	143	1,311	...	...
Totals ...	1,075 packages ...	23	359	9,839	398 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	985 9 2

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	Duty Paid or Free on First Importation.	Warehoused.	Value.				
PHOTOGRAPHIC GOODS:				£			
United Kingdom ...	129 packages ...	42 packages ...	2,713		...	...
New South Wales ...	7 " "	...	88		...	...
Victoria ...	23 " "	...	213		...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	2 " "	1 " "	29		...	...
Totals ...	161 packages ...	43 packages ...	3,043	6 packages ...	10 per cent. ad valorem	277 5 5	
PICTURE FRAME MOULDINGS:							
United Kingdom ...	5 packages ...	...	150		...	...
United States of America:							
On the Pacific ...	1 " "	...	5		...	...
Totals ...	6 packages ...	...	155		...	Free.	
PICTURE FRAMES:							
United Kingdom ...	176 packages ...	1 package ...	4,296		...	...
New South Wales ...	4 " "	...	55		...	...
Victoria ...	29 " "	...	281		...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	5 " "	...	73		...	...
On the Pacific ...	2 " "	...	9		...	...
China ...	2 " "	...	2		...	...
Totals ...	217 packages ...	1 package ...	4,716		...	10 per cent. ad valorem	470 3 0
PIPES (Tobacco):							
United Kingdom ...	4,142 packages ...	Cases 125 packages 329	7,730		...	...
New South Wales ...	45 " "	...	203		...	...
Victoria ...	187 " "	1 " "	441		...	...
Germany ...	1 " "	...	31		...	...
Totals ...	4,375 packages ...	126 329	8,405	438 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	851 18 8	
PITCH AND TAR:							
United Kingdom ...	557½ barrels ...		782		...	...
New South Wales ...	343 " "	8 barrels ...	266		...	...
Victoria ...	10 " "	...	21		...	...
Totals ...	910½ barrels ...	8 barrels ...	1,069		rs. per barrel	45 10 6	
PLANTS:							
United Kingdom ...	32 packages ...	...	270		...	...
New South Wales ...	160 " "	...	1,061		...	...
Victoria ...	279 " "	...	2,499		...	...
Tasmania ...	88 " "	...	125		...	...
Norfolk Island ...	6 " "	...	6		...	...
South Sea Islands ...	1 " "	...	5		...	...
United States of America:							
On the Pacific ...	11 " "	...	29		...	...
India ...	1 " "	...	10		...	...
Totals ...	578 packages ...	...	4,005		Free.		
PLATE:							
United Kingdom ...	35 packages ...	1 case ...	2,977		...	...
New South Wales ...	6 " "	...	170		...	...
Victoria ...	8 " "	...	398		...	...
Totals ...	49 packages ...	1 case ...	3,545	2 packages ...	10 per cent.	372 9 11	
PLATEDWARE:							
United Kingdom ...	375 packages ...	Cases 2 packages 4	14,409		...	...
New South Wales ...	33 " "	...	1,367		...	...
Victoria ...	47 " "	...	1,475		...	...
Tasmania ...	1 " "	...	1		...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic ...	92 " "	...	2,150		...	...
On the Pacific ...	42 " "	...	753		
Totals ...	590 packages ...	2 4	20,155	6 packages ...	10 per cent. ad valorem	1,992 6 8	

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PORTRMANTEAUS AND BAGS:							
United Kingdom	77 packages	... 1 package	£ 1,890		
New South Wales	2 "	...	7		
Victoria	3 "	...	82	...	...
Totals	82 packages	1 package	£ 1,979	5 packages ...	10 per cent. ad valorem	£ 205 16 9	
POTATOES:	Tons cwt.						
United Kingdom	1 17	...	14	...	...
New South Wales	19 15	...	151	...	...
Victoria	148 5	...	1,579	...	...
Tasmania	34 12	...	282	...	...
Norfolk Island	2	...	1	...	...
Totals	204 11	...	2,027	...	Free.		
PRINTING MATERIAL:							
United Kingdom	775 packages	...	9,893	...	...
New South Wales	151 "	...	2,737	...	...
Victoria	819 "	...	9,342	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	8	..."	70	...	...
On the Pacific	11	..."	267	...	...
Totals	1,764 packages	...	22,309	...	Free.		
Paper:							
United Kingdom	3,408 packages	...	46,898	...	...
New South Wales	346 "	...	6,081	...	...
Victoria	541 "	...	7,618	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	5	..."	85	...	...
Totals	4,300 packages	...	60,682	...	Free.		
PROVISIONS:							
Bacon:	Cwt. qr.						
United Kingdom	16 2	...	57	Cwt. qr.			
Beef:	Cwt. qr.				rd. per lb.		
United Kingdom	50 3	...	88 casks	7	...		
New South Wales	11	...	...	3	...	
Victoria	33 3	...	5 "	...	...
South Sea Islands	14 3	...	...	22	...	
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	6	..."	12	...	...
Totals	116 1	..."	93 casks	...	2s. per cwt.	11 12 2	
Hams:	Cwt. qr.						
United Kingdom	59	...	Cases 8 packages 3	477	...		
New South Wales	1	..."	...	9	...		
Victoria	1	..."	...	1	...		
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	6	..."	...	24	...		
On the Pacific	...	...	6	80	...	
China	2	..."	...	2	...		
Totals	67	..."	8 9	593	31 cwt.	rd. per lb.	45 9 8
PROVISIONS:							
Pork:	Cwt. qr.						
United Kingdom	49 1	..."	35 barrels	
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	4	..."	...	8	
Totals	53 1	..."	35 barrels	261	...	2s. per cwt.	5 6 9
Preserved:	Cwts. qr. pkg.						
United Kingdom	9 2 36	46	
Victoria	1	..."	...	9	
United States of America:							
On the Pacific	100	..."	...	83	
Totals	9 2 137	..."	...	138	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	13 19 0

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	Duty Paid or Free on First Importation.	Warehoused.				
PUMPS:						
United Kingdom ...	115 number	£ 909	
Victoria ...	13 " ...	...	313	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	2,650 "	...	2,785	...	...
Totals ...	2,778 number ...	...	4,007	...	Free.	
QUICKSILVER:						
United Kingdom ...	45 flasks ...	...	354	...	...
New South Wales ...	20 " ...	...	140	...	...
Victoria ...	39 " ...	...	398	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific ...	124 "	...	905	...	...
Totals ...	228 flasks ...	...	1,797	...	Free.	
RAILWAY PLANT:						
Locomotives:						
United Kingdom ...	Value only ...	...	29,914	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	" ...	...	5,630	...	...
Totals ...	Value only ...	...	35,544	...	Free.	
Trucks:						
United Kingdom ...	135 number ...	...	8,417	...	Free.	
Other Kinds:						
United Kingdom ...	Value only ...	...	93,103	...	...
New South Wales ...	" ...	...	24	...	...
Victoria ...	" ...	...	23	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific ...	" ...	...	14,240	...	...
Totals ...	Value only ...	...	107,390	...	Free.	
RESIN:						
United Kingdom ...	71 packages ...	...	68	...	...
Victoria ...	382 " ...	...	566	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	864 "	...	845	...	...
On the Pacific ...	450 "	...	405	...	...
Totals ...	1,767 packages ...	...	1,884	...	Free.	
SADDLERY AND HARNESS:						
United Kingdom ...	55 packages ...	...	1,277	...	...
Victoria ...	1 " ...	...	13	...	...
Totals ...	56 packages ...	...	1,290	...	Free.	
SADDLERY AND HARNESS:		Bales cases pkg.				
United Kingdom ...	1,567 packages ...	23 220	59,061	...	...
New South Wales ...	184 " ...	7	6,435	...	...
Victoria ...	203 " ...	I	5,512	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	27 "	...	1,097	...	...
On the Pacific ...	9 "	...	273	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	1 "	...	8	...	...
Totals ...	1,991 packages ...	I 23 227	72,386	256 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	7,316 10 5
SAGO:	Cwt. qr.	Chst. box. bg. pkg.				
United Kingdom ...	767 2 ...	110 166 ... 4	1,391	...	...
New South Wales ...	36 ...	105	109	...	...
Victoria ...	522 ...	30 56	926	...	...
India ...	27 2 ...	350	355	...	...
China ...	... ...	130 200 50	300	...	...
Java ...	... ...	200 368	424	...	...
Totals ...	1,353 ...	440 764 505 60	3,505	1,045 cwt. ...	2s. per cwt. ...	239 14 11
SALT:	Tons cwt.					
United Kingdom ...	7,501 14	14,190	
New South Wales ...	2	3	

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SALT—continued.	Tons cwt.		£			£ s. d.
Victoria ...	209 14	...	987	
France ...	50	...	165	
Totals ...	7,761 10	...	15,345	...	Free.	
SALTPETRE:	Cwt. qr.	Barrels kegs				
United Kingdom ...	543 1	20 111	986	...	...
Victoria ...	6 2	...	19	...	...
Totals ...	549 3	20 111	1,005	45 cwt. ...	2s. per cwt. ...	59 9 5
SCRIM CLOTH:		Bales packages				
United Kingdom ...	398 packages	11 101	8,968	...	...
New South Wales ...	1 "	2	50	...	...
Victoria ...	8 "	1	85	...	...
Totals ...	407 packages	11 104	9,103	143 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	933 16 6
SEEDS:						
Grass and Clover:						
United Kingdom ...	103,706 bushels	...	70,926	...	...
New South Wales ...	2,737 "	...	992	...	...
Victoria ...	2,056 "	...	2,147	...	...
South Australia ...	46 "	...	11	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	7,139 "	...	5,666	...	...
On the Pacific ...	760 "	...	456	...	...
Totals ...	116,444 bushels	...	80,198	...	Free.	
Other Kinds:						
United Kingdom ...	1,322 packages	...	9,976	...	...
New South Wales ...	38 "	...	211	...	...
Victoria ...	478 "	...	3,579	...	...
Tasmania ...	230 "	...	143	...	...
Norfolk Island ...	4 "	...	5	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	1 "	...	1	...	...
On the Pacific ...	51 "	...	399	...	...
Totals ...	2,124 packages	...	14,314	...	Free.	
SHELLS:	Tons cwt.					
South Sea Islands ...	27 3	...	2,171	...	Free.	
SHIP CHANDLERY:						
Anchors:	Tons cwt. qr.					
United Kingdom ...	30 16	...	742	...	...
New South Wales ...	3 12 3	...	93	...	...
Victoria ...	12	...	19	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	12 2	...	16	...	...
Totals ...	35 13 1	...	870	...	Free.	
Chain Cables:	Tons cwt.					
United Kingdom ...	102 4	...	1,490	...	...
New South Wales ...	22 6	...	443	...	...
Victoria ...	1 11	...	40	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	2 5	...	27	...	...
Totals ...	128 6	...	2,000	...	Free.	
Other Kinds:						
United Kingdom ...	1,300 packages	...	7,487	...	...
New South Wales ...	135 "	...	718	...	...
Victoria ...	100 "	...	410	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	40 "	...	46	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	21 "	...	213	...	...
Totals ...	1,596 packages	...	8,874	...	Free.	
SILKS:						
United Kingdom ...	151 packages	2 packages	24,656	
New South Wales ...	42 "	1 "	5,444	
Victoria ...	41 "	...	2,079	

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SILKS— <i>continued.</i>				£			
South Sea Islands	1 package	118	
China	6 "	244	
Totals	241 packages	...	3 packages	32,541	2 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	3,252 2 0
SLATES:							
United Kingdom	493,362 number	...	...	6,624	...	...
Victoria	8,000 "	...	...	140	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	562,203 "	...	...	4,846	...	...
Totals	1,063,565 number	...	...	11,610	...	Free.	
Slabs:							
United Kingdom	200 number	...	...	90	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	220 "	...	...	120	...	...
Totals	420 number	...	...	210	...	Free.	
SOAP:	Cwt. qr.	Cases boxes pkg.					
United Kingdom	1,076 2	15 11 2	1,554	...	...
New South Wales	4 2	...	11	...	...
Victoria	675 3	...	906	...	...
Totals	1,756 3	15 11 2	2,471	22 cwt.	...	3s. 6d. per cwt.	311 5 3
SPECIE:							
<i>Copper:</i>							
New South Wales	Value only	...	5	...	...	Free.	
<i>Gold:</i>							
New South Wales	Value only	...	72,420	...	...
Victoria	"	...	235,000	...	...
Totals	Value only	...	307,420	...	...	Free.	
<i>Silver:</i>							
United Kingdom	Value only	...	16,750	...	...
New South Wales	"	...	8,700	...	...
Victoria	"	...	205	...	...
South Sea Islands	"	...	60	...	...
Totals	Value only	...	25,715	...	...	Free.	
SPECIMENS OF NATURAL HISTORY:							
United Kingdom	27 packages	...	1,372	...	...
New South Wales	10 "	...	144	...	...
Victoria	4 "	...	45	...	...
Fiji Islands	1 "	...	10	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	6 "	...	140	...	...
On the Pacific	5 "	...	75	...	...
India	1 "	...	100	...	...
Totals	54 packages	...	1,886	...	...	Free.	
SPICES:							
United Kingdom	608 packages	Casks 19	cases 10	pkg. 180	4,690	...	
New South Wales	64 "	...	32	320	...	...
Victoria	200 "	...	6	39	1,612	...	
India	...	10	25	205	...	...
China	75 "	...	6	16	108	...	
Japan	3 "	...	18	7	620	...	
Totals	950 packages	29	65	274	7,555	277 packages	3d. per lb. ...
Pepper:	Cwt. qr.	Bags 10	pkg. 352			Cwt. qr.	
United Kingdom	67 2	...	...			...
New South Wales	36	133	421	...	...	...
Victoria	356 3	99	65	1,703	
Java	...	272	...	795	
Totals	460 1	514	65	...	3,271	615 1	3d. and 1d. per lb. 516 10 10

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SPIRITS:						
<i>Brandy:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	458½ gallons ...	90 hhd., 3,661 ¼-casks, 25 oct., 10 brl., 32,397 cases	86,910	
New South Wales ...	92½ „ „	30 hhd., 230 ¼-csk., 10 oct., 1,024 cases	5,257	...	...
Victoria	1,266 ¾ „ „	73 hhd., 1,067 ¼-casks, 70 octaves, 5,776 cases	23,662	...	...
France ...	... „ „	880 ¼-casks, 7,697 cases	18,630	...	...
Totals ...	1,817½ gallons ...	193 hhd., 5,838 ¼-casks, 105 octaves, 10 barrels, 46,894 cases	134,459	264,218 ½ gal.	12s. per gallon	159,621 10 0
<i>Cordials:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	11 ¾ gallons ...	Cases packages				
New South Wales ...	10 ¾ „ „	450 2	753 16	...	...
Victoria	44 ½ „ „	13 5	106	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	... „ „	4	5	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	55 ½ „ „	...	26	...	...
Peru ...	2 „ „	4	17	...	...
France ...	... „ „	77	140	...	...
Totals ...	124 gallons ...	546 9	1,063	1,347 ½ gallons	12s. per gallon	882 19 10
<i>Geneva:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	400 ¾ gallons ...	2 hhd., 245 ¼-csk., 60 oct., 25,489 cas.	20,227	...	...
New South Wales ...	33 ½ „ „	282 cases ...	312	...	...
Victoria	158 ¼ „ „	3,943 cases ...	3,201	...	...
Fiji Islands ...	1 „ „	...	1	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	... „ „	9 ¼-casks ...	50	...	...
France ...	8 „ „	4,350 cases ...	2,092	...	...
Holland ...	... „ „	15 ¼-csk., 548 cases	406	...	...
Totals ...	601 ½ gallons ...	2 hhd., 269 ¼-csk., 60 octaves, 34,612 cases	26,289	82,607 ½ gal.	12s. per gallon	49,925 5 7
<i>Gin:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	78½ gallons ...	6 hhd., 90 ¼-casks, 10 octaves, 7,798 cases	6,426	...	...
New South Wales ...	27 ¾ „ „	30 cases ...	32	...	...
Victoria	42 ½ „ „	6 ¼-casks, 599 cases	610	...	...
Holland ...	... „ „	100 cases ...	65	...	...
Totals ...	148 ¾ gallons ...	6 hhd., 96 ¼-casks, 10 octaves, 8,527 cases	7,133	20,605 ¾ gal.	12s. per gallon	12,452 2 3
<i>Methylated:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	1,977 gallons ...	...	454	...	...
New South Wales ...	45 „ „	...	12	...	...
Victoria	156 „ „	...	37	...	...
Totals ...	2,178 gallons ...	...	503	1,306 ¼ gallons	Free.	
<i>Perfumed:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	1,149 ¼ gallons ...	Cases packages				
New South Wales ...	18 „ „	152 50	5,098	...	...
Victoria	164 ¼ „ „	20	162	...	...
South Sea Islands ...	2 ½ „ „	1	407	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	105 ¼ „ „	...	7	...	...
France ...	... „ „	159 2	251 20	...	...
Totals ...	1,439 ¼ gallons ...	334 50	5,945	962 ½ gallons	12s. per gallon	1,441 3 1
<i>Rum:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	39 ½ gallons ...	115 hhd., 1,287 ¼-casks, 2 punch., 70 brl., 746 cases, 10 octaves	9,643	

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SPIRITS—continued.						
Rum—continued.						
New South Wales ...	168 gallons ...	10 hhd., 220 $\frac{1}{4}$ -csks, 7 bbl., 20 cases	1,978	
Victoria ...	65 $\frac{3}{4}$ " ...	9 hhd., 154 $\frac{1}{4}$ -csks, 25 cases	1,102	...	...
Fiji Islands ...	...	28 hhd., 24 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks	380	...	...
United States of America : On the Atlantic ...	...	8 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks ...	88	...	...
Totals ...	273 gallons ...	162 hhd., 1,693 $\frac{1}{4}$ - casks, 2 punch., 77 bbl., 791 cases, 10 octaves	13,191	76,758 $\frac{3}{4}$ gal.	12s. per gal.	46,220 15 11
Whiskey :						
United Kingdom ...	850 gallons ...	30 hhd., 3,927 $\frac{1}{4}$ - casks, 570 oct., 2 punch., 24,161 cas.	61,850	...	...
New South Wales ...	92 $\frac{1}{4}$ " ...	8 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks, 57 cases	185	...	...
Victoria ...	584 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ...	219 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks, 24 oct., 792 cases	3,771	...	...
Fiji Islands ...	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ...	...	2	...	...
United States of America ; On the Atlantic ...	...	5 cases ...	3	...	...
Totals ...	1,559 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	30 hhd., 4,154 $\frac{1}{4}$ - casks, 594 oct., 2 punch., 25,015 cas	65,811	189,918 $\frac{1}{2}$ gal.	12s. per gallon	114,886 7 0
Spirits of Wine :						
United Kingdom ...	90 gallons ...	9 drums, 4 casks, 153 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks, 5 cas.	717	...	...
New South Wales ...	...	1 hhd., 3 casks, 10 cases	61	...	...
Victoria ...	88 $\frac{3}{4}$ " ...	1 cask, 102 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks	649	...	...
Totals ...	178 $\frac{3}{4}$ gallons ...	1 hhd., 9 drums, 8 casks, 255 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks, 15 cases	1,427	5,463 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons	12s. per gallon	3,385 10 0
Other Kinds :						
United Kingdom ...	56 $\frac{1}{4}$ gallons ...	44 cases ...	90	...	...
New South Wales ...	...	77 " ...	138	...	...
Victoria ...	34 $\frac{3}{4}$ " ...	148 " ...	348	...	...
United States of America : On the Atlantic ...	...	5 " ...	6	...	...
China ...	198 " ...	132 " ...	192	...	...
Totals ...	289 gallons ...	406 cases ...	774	1,881 $\frac{1}{4}$ gallons	12s. per gallon	1,301 18 8
New Zealand—						
Whiskey ...	...	...	...	10,689 $\frac{1}{2}$ gal.	6s. per gallon	3,206 14 4
Other Kinds ...	...	...	...	746 "	" "	223 16 7
Spirits of Tar :						
United Kingdom ...	25 gallons ...	...	3	...	6d. per gallon	0 12 6
STARCK AND BLUE :						
United Kingdom ...	Packages cwt. qr. 5,830 1,857 2	Cases boxes pkgs. 1,392 115 978	9,347	...	...
New South Wales ...	128 35 2	4	236	...	...
Victoria ...	269 92 2	2 3	754	...	...
Tasmania ...	1 2	...	3	...	...
United States of America : On the Atlantic ...	87 2	25	145	...	...
Totals ...	6,228 2,073 2	1,419 115 985	10,485	1,399 packages	10 per cent., and *3s. per cwt., and 1d. per lb.	1,101 15 4
STATIONERY :						
United Kingdom ...	2,767 packages ...	...	22,138	...	...
New South Wales ...	66 " ...	...	489	...	...
Victoria ...	141 " ...	...	5,443	...	...
United States of America : On the Atlantic ...	13 " ...	...	21	...	...
Totals ...	2,987 packages ...	...	28,091	...	Free.†	

* From 7th August, 1878.

† For service of General Government, and for school purposes.

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STATIONERY :								
United Kingdom	2,448 packages	...	Cases	packages	£ 40,230	£ s. d.
New South Wales	533 "	...	4	1	7,323	
Victoria	1,202 "	...	7	1	27,132	...	...
South Australia	2 "	...			23	...	...
South Sea Islands	1 "	...			6	...	...
United States of America :								
On the Atlantic	122 "	...			395	...	...
On the Pacific	12 "	...			283	...	...
China	26 "	...			40	...	...
Totals	4,346 packages	...	22	111	75,432	62 packages...	10 per cent. ...	6,504 7 9
Cards, Playing :								
United Kingdom	17,038 packs	...	Cases	packages	874	...	...
New South Wales	2,411 "	...	3		157	...	...
Victoria	1,393 "	...			113	...	...
United States of America :								
On the Pacific	432 "	...			18	...	...
Totals	21,274 packs	...	8	10	1,162	12,089 packs	6d. per pack...	834 1 6
STEEL :								
<i>Wire Rope :</i>								
United Kingdom	5 cwt. ...	...			20	...	Free.	
STEEL :								
United Kingdom	Tons cwt. qr.							
New South Wales	141 11 3				4,951	...	...
Victoria	1 12				66	...	...
United States of America :					531	...	...
On the Atlantic	5				6	...	...
On the Pacific	2				10	...	...
Totals	156 19				5,564	...	1s. per cwt. ...	156 19 0
STONE :								
<i>Building :</i>								
United Kingdom	Tons cwt. pkg.							
New South Wales	28 1				314	...	...
Victoria	6				31	...	...
Tasmania	10 17 4				160	...	...
	60 5				205	...	...
Totals	105 3 4				710	...	Free.	
<i>Flagging :</i>								
United Kingdom	Tons cwt. pkg.							
Victoria	91				300	...	...
Tasmania	3 17				31	...	...
United States of America :					18	...	...
On the Atlantic	90				50	...	...
Totals	102 17 90				399	...	Free.	
<i>Grindstones :</i>								
United Kingdom	2,804 number	...			913	...	...
New South Wales	17 "	...			5	...	...
Victoria	128 "	...			63	...	...
United States of America :								
On the Atlantic	63 "	...			30	...	...
Totals	3,012 number	...			1,011	...	Free.	
<i>Millstones :</i>								
United Kingdom	25 number	...			271	...	...
Victoria	14 "	...			222	...	...
Totals	39 number	...			493	...	Free.	
<i>Stoneware :</i>								
United Kingdom	243 packages	...			1,141	...	...
Victoria	156 "	...			479	...	...
United States of America :								
On the Atlantic	14 "	...			52	...	...
Totals	413 packages	...			1,672	...	Free.	
<i>Stoneware :</i>								
United Kingdom	4 packages	...			26	...	10 per cent. ...	2 12 0

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SUGAR:							
Raw:							
United Kingdom	... 1 4 1 ...	Tons cwt. qr.	849 cases	£ 919	Tons cwt.
New South Wales	... 2 11 ...		227 mats, 190 bags	516	
Victoria	... 36 13 ...		1,638 pockets, 1,862 bags, 32 packages	4,840		...	...
Fiji Islands	... 7 13 2 ...		2,024 mt., 3,715 bg.	4,492		...	...
Totals	... 48 1 3 ...		1,638 pockets, 2,251 mats, 5,767 bags, 849 cases, 32 pkg.	10,767	228 2 ...	1d. per lb. ...	2,578 6 4
Refined:							
United Kingdom	... 181 6 1 ...	Tons cwt. qr.	1,070 kegs, 1,576 casks, 317 gunnies, 10,848 mt., 10 bg., 865 cs., 818 pkg.	29,578	Tons cwt. qr.	...	...
New South Wales	... 1,791 3 3 ...		9,970 gunnies, 817 pkct., 22,214 mats, 2,887 bags, 1 case, 6,599 packages	114,017		...	...
Victoria	... 1,720 8 1 ...		25 csk., 6,957 gun., 2,666 pkct., 26,087 mt., 3,250 bg., 318 cs., 25,436 pkg.	145,141		...	...
Tasmania	... 5 2 ...		...	12		...	...
Fiji Islands	... 1 ...		1,264 mats	811		...	...
South Sea Islands	... 1 2 ...		...	1		...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	... 5 3 1 ...		100 kegs, 75 casks, 8 packages	861		...	...
On the Pacific	... 1 13 2 ...		...	83		...	...
Peru	... 0 14 2 ...		3,136 bags	9,184		...	...
Mauritius	... 23 17 3 ...		5 gun., 6,590 pkct., 179,959 mats, 33,461 bags	206,627		...	...
India	... ... ...		1,400 mats, 1,200 bags	1,840		...	...
China	... 10 1 ...		4,000 bags, 20 cases	3,255		...	...
Java	... 5 1 ...		4,789 mt., 911 bg.	2,200		...	...
Totals	... 3,735 10 ...		1,170 kegs, 1,676 casks, 17,249 gun., 10,073 pockets, 246,561 mats, 48,825 bags, 1,204 cases, 32,861 pkg.	513,610	9,533 9 2	1d. per lb. ...	123,842 17 4
Gluucose:							
United Kingdom	... 5 12 ...	Tons cwt. qr.	Boxes packages		Tons cwt.		
New South Wales	... 6 18 2 ...		60 7			...	...
Victoria	... 110 60 1,336		40 60			...	...
Totals	... 12 10 2 ...		110 160 1,493		7 7 ...	1d. per lb. ...	185 7 9
Molasses and Treacle:					Tons cwt.		
United Kingdom	... 10 13 ...	Tons cwt. qr.	Hhd. csk. kg. pkg.	297		...	...
New South Wales	... 47 9 ...		38 10 35 1,468			...	...
Victoria	... 51 19 ...		11 73 100 1,548			...	...
Tasmania	... 5 3 ...		...	1		...	...
Fiji Islands	... 5 6 ...		...	140		...	...
India	... 7 6 1 ...		200 305			...	...
China	... ... ...		1	1		...	...
Mauritius	... ... ...		4 6			...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	... ... ...		20 70			...	...
On the Pacific	... ... ...		20 40			...	...
Totals	... 122 14 ...		89 298 136 2 3,876		48 11 ...	1d. per lb. ...	1,598 16 2
SULPHUR:					Tons cwt.		
United Kingdom	... 272 3 ...	Tons cwt. qr.	Casks kegs	3,798		...	...
Victoria	... 10 1 ...		37 10 31			...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	... 4	60	
Totals	... 276 11 ...		37 10 3,889		1 10 ...	rs. per cwt.	278 1 4

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TAPIOCA :	Cwt. qr.			£			£ s. d.
United Kingdom	454 2	...	2 bg., 2 bx., 52 pkg.	819	
New South Wales	1	...	28 boxes	33	
Victoria	220	...	20 bags, 3 bx., 200 pkg., 20 chests	698	...	...
India	...	...	205 boxes	140	...	...
China	...	...	100 "	80	...	...
Java	...	...	150 "	140	...	...
Totals	675 2	...	22 bags, 488 boxes, 20 chst., 252 pkg.	1,910	130 cwt.	2s. per cwt. ...	80 9 1
TEA :							
United Kingdom	24,088 lb.	...	85 cht., 179 $\frac{1}{2}$ -cht., 490 $\frac{1}{4}$ -cht., 137 cas. 464 box., 30 pkg.	6,761	...	...
New South Wales	63,675 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	...	301 chests, 9,515 $\frac{1}{2}$ - chst., 152 $\frac{1}{4}$ -chst., 6 cases, 12,817 boxes, 327 pkg.	52,409	...	...
Victoria	374,088 "	...	774 cht., 11,520 $\frac{1}{2}$ - chst., 122 $\frac{1}{4}$ -chst., 29 cases, 17,326 boxes, 1,373 pkg.	94,783	...	...
Tasmania	85 "	...	...	9	...	...
Fiji Islands	99 "	...	...	10	...	...
South Sea Islands	14 "	...	...	1	...	...
Mauritius	20 "	...	...	2	...	...
India	593 "	...	190 $\frac{1}{2}$ -chests	725	...	...
China	46,503 "	...	1,279 chests, 32,635 $\frac{1}{2}$ -chests, 72,778 boxes, 79 pkg.	149,138	...	...
Java	...	...	5 chests	20	...	...
Totals	509,165 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.	...	2,444 cht., 54,039 $\frac{1}{2}$ -cht., 764 $\frac{1}{4}$ -cht., 172 cases, 103,385 boxes, 1,809 pkg.	303,858	2,387,531 lb.	6d. per lb. ...	72,417 8 11
TELEGRAPH MATERIALS :							
United Kingdom	Value only	...	...	8,349	...	...
Victoria	"	...	...	160	...	...
Totals	Value only	...	...	8,509	...	Free.	
TENTS AND TARPAULINS :							
United Kingdom	61 packages	...	...	2,030	...	...
Victoria	8 "	...	...	60	...	...
Totals	69 packages	...	...	2,090	...	Free.	
TENTS AND TARPAULINS :							
United Kingdom	10 packages	...	...	32	...	10 per cent.	3 4 0
TIMBER :							
Sawn and Dressed :							
United Kingdom	338,405 feet	...	...	3,492	...	...
New South Wales	118,809 "	...	...	1,435	...	...
Victoria	66,210 "	...	...	1,208	...	...
Tasmania	245,682 "	...	...	1,403	...	...
United States of America :							
On the Atlantic	44,220 "	...	...	489	...	...
On the Pacific	333 "	...	...	5	...	...
India	4,778 "	...	...	80	...	...
Totals	818,437 feet	...	...	8,119	...	2s. per 100 feet superficial	818 5 10
Undressed :							
New South Wales	36,600 feet	...	...	980	...	Free.	
Undressed :							
United Kingdom	954,976 feet	...	...	8,998	...	...
Queensland	5,542 "	...	...	122	...	...
New South Wales	180,620 "	...	...	3,973	...	...
Victoria	83,047 "	...	...	1,679	...	...
Tasmania	2,139,686 "	...	...	17,517	...	...
United States of America :							
On the Atlantic	527,043 "	4,901	
On the Pacific	4,271 "	32	

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TIMBER—continued.						
<i>Undressed—continued.</i>						
China	125 feet	3	
France	1,700 " "	...	11	
Totals	3,897,010 feet	36,336	...	2s. per 100 feet superficial	3,896 19 10
<i>Hewn:</i>						
New South Wales	33,650 feet ...	...	600	...	Free.	
<i>Laths:</i>						
Victoria	132,997 number ...	...	208	...	...
Tasmania	10,000 " "	...	7	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	145,625 " "	...	73	...	...
Totals	288,622 number ...	...	288	...	2s. per 1,000	28 17 8
<i>Logs:</i>						
Queensland	206 number ...	...	1,197	...	...
New South Wales	3,359 " "	...	15,413	...	...
Victoria	55 " "	...	643	...	...
Tasmania	282 " "	...	1,874	...	...
Totals	3,902 number ...	...	19,127	...	Free.	
<i>Posts and Rails:</i>						
Tasmania	58,010 number ...	...	2,426	...	4s. and 8s. per 100	167 12 9
<i>Palings:</i>						
Tasmania	1,719,414 number	...	13,491	...	2s. per 100	1,719 8 8
<i>Shingles:</i>						
Tasmania	9,274,750 number	...	7,894	...	2s. per 1,000	927 9 4
<i>Spokes, Felloes, and Shafts:</i>						
New South Wales	62,854 number ...	...	2,463	...	...
Victoria	734 " "	...	66	...	...
Tasmania	20 " "	...	11	...	...
Totals	63,608 number ...	...	2,540	...	10 per cent. ...	254 5 5
<i>Other Kinds:</i>						
United Kingdom	Pieces 143 1,300	...	170	...	...
New South Wales	75,500 53,545	...	2,360	...	...
Tasmania	1,050	...	22	...	...
South Sea Islands	■	...	12	...	...
Totals	76,695 54,845	...	2,564	...	Free.	
<i>Tin:</i>						
<i>Block:</i>						
United Kingdom	151 cwt. ...	...	323	...	...
New South Wales	141 " "	...	520	...	...
Victoria	18 3 1 " "	...	704	...	...
Tasmania	20 " "	...	70	...	...
Totals	495 1 2 cwt. ...	...	1,617	...	Free.	
<i>Sheet:</i>						
United Kingdom	8,225 packages ...	...	11,183	...	...
New South Wales	144 " "	...	435	...	...
Victoria	916 " "	...	2,230	...	...
Tasmania	26 " "	...	36	...	...
Totals	9,311 packages ...	...	13,884	...	Free.	
<i>TINWARE:</i>						
United Kingdom	607 packages ...	...	5,066	...	...
New South Wales	5 " "	...	61	...	...
Victoria	69 " "	...	535	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	1 " "	...	3	
On the Pacific	3 " "	...	32	
Totals	685 packages	5,697	...	10 per cent.	569 15 2

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	Duty Paid or Free on First Importation.	Warehoused.				
TOBACCO:						
United Kingdom	658½ lb.	...	2,466	
New South Wales	2,171 "	...	3,550	...	...
Victoria	14,891½ "	...	53,710	...	...
Tasmania	70 "	...	17	...	...
Fiji Islands	39 "	...	5	...	...
South Sea Islands	21½ "	...	70	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	1,883 "	...	44,451	...	...
On the Pacific	12 "	...	73	...	...
Mauritius	...	1 package	6	...	...
China	70 "	46 boxes	217	...	...
Germany	...	2 boxes	56	...	...
Totals	19,816½ lb.	...	104,621	1,044,675½ lb.	2s. 6d. per lb.	133,061 9 11
Cigars:						
United Kingdom	234½ lb.	Cases	5,651	...	...
New South Wales	2,128½ "	packages	6,900	...	...
Victoria	3,156½ "	126	1,227	...	...
South Sea Islands	...	415	55	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	2 "	2	515	...	...
On the Pacific	449 "	10	153	...	...
China	...	1	50	...	...
France	...	24	341	...	...
Totals	5,970 lb.	740	29,892	78,528½ lb. ...	5s. per lb. ...	21,124 8 6
Sheepwash:						
Victoria	775 lb.	Hhd.	114	28,244 lb. ...	3d. per lb. ...	362 14 9
Snuff:						
United Kingdom	628½ lb.	Cases	626	...	...
Victoria	60 "	packages	10	...	...
Totals	688½ lb.	32	636	2,211 lb. ...	5s. per lb. ...	724 11 6
TOOLS AND UTENSILS:						
United Kingdom	1 package	...	7	...	Free.	
TOOLS AND UTENSILS:						
United Kingdom	142 packages	1 package	2,636	...	...
New South Wales	47 "	...	262	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	142 "	...	608	...	...
On the Pacific	1 "	...	13	...	...
Totals	332 packages	1 package	3,519	7 packages ...	10 per cent. ad valorem	369 14 2
Toys:						
United Kingdom	162 packages	Cases	3,341	...	...
New South Wales	18 "	7	255	...	...
Victoria	16 "	3	73	
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	12 "	...	189	
On the Pacific	6 "	...	20	

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TOYS—continued.							
China	85 packages	...	Cases packages	£ 51	
Germany	8 " "	75	
Totals	307 packages	...	3 7	4,004	13 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	406 15 3
TURPENTINE AND VARNISH:							
United Kingdom	22,027½ gallons	...	Drums cases	11,492	...	...
New South Wales	13 "	...	28 40	10	...	...
Victoria	5,271 "	...	...	1,876	...	...
United States of America:			200				
On the Atlantic	10,349½ "	...	...	1,860	...	...
On the Pacific	51 "	...	125	21	...	...
Totals	37,712 gallons	...	28 365	15,259	4,250 gallons	6d. per gallon	1,048 19 7
TWINE:							
United Kingdom	Cwt. qr.		Bales cases pkgs.				
New South Wales	1,876		24 3 61	11,568	...	...
Victoria	15 1	...	...	96	...	...
South Sea Islands	50 3	...	...	344	...	...
United States of America:			...	1	...	...
On the Atlantic	1	...	...	6	...	...
Totals	1,943 1	...	24 3 61	12,015	165 cwt.	10 per cent. ad valorem	1,173 15 0
VEGETABLES:							
United Kingdom	6 packages	...	...	29	...	...
New South Wales	355 "	...	...	168	...	...
Tasmania	548 "	...	...	455	...	...
Victoria	1,988 "	...	...	1,773	...	...
United States of America:			...				
On the Pacific	150 "	...	...	172	...	...
China	359 "	...	...	133	...	...
Totals	3,406 packages	...	...	2,730	...	Free.	
VEGETABLES:							
United Kingdom	96 packages	...	91 packages	147	...	...
New South Wales	15 "	...	...	23	...	...
Victoria	530 "	...	...	438	...	...
Fiji Islands	1 "	...	...	1	...	...
United States of America:			...				
On the Atlantic	2 "	...	...	2	...	...
On the Pacific	15 "	...	20 "	37	...	...
China	43 "	...	...	15	...	...
France	15 "	...	...	33	...	...
Totals	717 packages	...	111 packages	696	20 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	27 15 4
VINEGAR:							
United Kingdom	84,811 gallons	...	90 hhd., 100 ½-hhd., 583 ¼-casks, 1,413 cases	10,742	...	...
New South Wales	2,767½ "	...	33 ¾-casks	305	...	...
Victoria	4,258 "	...	21 ¼-casks, 20 cases	695	...	...
South Australia	2,500 "	...	...	180	...	...
France	...	...	100 ¼-casks	29	...	...
Totals	94,336½ gallons	...	90 hhd., 100 ½-hhd., 737 ¾-casks, 1,433 cases	11,951	23,924½ gal.	6d. per gallon	2,956 10 6
WATERWORKS MATERIAL:							
United Kingdom	Value only	...	...	8,351	...	...
New South Wales	"	...	...	573	...	...
Victoria	"	...	...	1,250	...	...
Totals	Value only	...	...	10,174	...	Free.	
WATCHMAKERS' MATERIALS:							
United Kingdom	4 packages	115	
New South Wales	1 "	50	
Totals	5 packages	165	...	Free.	

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	Duty Paid or Free on First Importation.	Warehoused.					
WATCHES AND CLOCKS:							
United Kingdom	501 packages ...	61 packages ...		£ 13,748	
New South Wales	74 " ...	...		3,014	...	...
Victoria	82 " ...	...		6,171	...	...
Tasmania	2 " ...	...		12	...	...
South Sea Islands	1 " ...	...		10	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	589 " ...	20 " ...		1,918	...	...
On the Pacific	14 " ...	...		338	...	...
Totals ...	1,263 packages ...	81 packages ...		25,211	432 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	£ 2,679 2 6
WHITING AND CHALK:							
United Kingdom	Tons cwt. qr. 43 ⁶ 5	Casks packages 10 75		1,300	Tons cwt. qr.		
Victoria	11 16 2	...		102	...	...
Totals ...	448 1 2	10 75		1,402	13 15 1	1s. per cwt. ...	461 15 11
WINE:							
<i>In Wood:</i>							
United Kingdom	2,998 gallons ...	92 hhd., 10 butts, 9 pipes, 3,068 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks, 1 puncheon, 458 octaves, 300 cases, 242 pkg.		39,689	...	...
New South Wales	145 $\frac{1}{4}$ " ...	106 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks, 2 octaves, 15 pkg.		1,064	...	...
Victoria	2,550 $\frac{1}{4}$ " ...	846 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks, 167 octaves, 67 pkg.		10,668	...	...
South Sea Islands	138 " ...	1 $\frac{1}{4}$ -cask		48	...	...
Peru	...	53 packages		270	...	...
Mauritius	7 $\frac{1}{4}$ " ...	2 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks		45	...	...
France	...	16 hhd., 48 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks		488	...	...
Spain	...	16 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks		120	...	...
Totals ...	5,838 $\frac{3}{4}$ gallons ...	108 hhd., 10 butts, 9 pipes, 4,087 $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks, 1 puncheon, 627 octaves, 300 cases, 377 pkg.		52,392	122,093 gal.	4s. per gallon	25,586 1 0
<i>In Bottles:</i>							
United Kingdom	2,037 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	12,069 cases ...		16,821	...	...
New South Wales	237 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ...	118 " ...		387	...	...
Victoria	1,090 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ...	1,591 " ...		2,623	...	...
Tasmania	6 " ...	...		12	...	...
Fiji Islands	2 " ...	...		2	...	...
South Sea Islands	88 " ...	...		22	...	...
Peru	9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ...	...		4	...	...
France	100 " ...	3,498 " ...		2,966	...	...
Totals ...	3,570 $\frac{3}{4}$ gallons ...	17,276 cases ...		22,837	36,280 $\frac{1}{2}$ gal.	4s. per gallon	7,969 19 2
Sparkling:							
United Kingdom	644 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	Cases packages 4,589 224		16,007	...	...
New South Wales	283 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ...	226		1,134	...	...
Victoria	592 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ...	927 50		4,117	...	...
France	...	111		359	...	...
Totals ...	1,520 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	5,853 274		21,617	11,974 $\frac{1}{4}$ gal.	4s. per gallon, *6s. per gallon	3,356 3 7
Australian:							
New South Wales	711 $\frac{1}{4}$ gallons ...	Hhd. $\frac{1}{4}$ -casks cases 15 137		691	...	...
Victoria	2,945 " ...	43 227 685		5,250	...	...
South Australia	364 $\frac{1}{2}$ " ...	34		494	...	...
Totals ...	4,020 $\frac{3}{4}$ gallons ...	43 276 822		6,435	9,592 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons	4s. per gallon	2,722 14 5
WOODWARE:							
Victoria	1 package ...	...		2	...	...
United States of America:							
On the Atlantic	132 "		319	
Totals ...	133 packages		321	...	Free.	

* From 7th August, 1878.

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Articles, and Countries whence Imported.	Quantities.		Value.	Cleared from Warehouse for Home Consumption.	Rate of Duty.	Amount of Duty Received.
	Duty Paid or Free on First Importation.	Warehoused.				
WOODWARE:						
United Kingdom	926 packages ...	54 packages ...	£ 1,885	...	...
New South Wales	387 " "	...	453	...	...
Victoria	364 " "	...	980	...	...
Tasmania	585 " "	...	198	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	8,258 " "	...	6,311	...	...
On the Pacific	155 " "	...	392	...	...
India	31 " "	...	82	...	...
China	74 " "	...	190	...	...
Totals	10,780 packages ...	54 packages ...	£ 10,491	95 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	£ 1,089 0 2
WOOL:						
Norfolk Island	1,600 lb. ...	...	60	...	...
Fiji Islands	3,830 " "	...	109	...	...
South Sea Islands	24,850 " "	...	760	...	...
Totals	30,280 lb. ...	...	929	...	Free.	
WOOLLENS:		Bales cases pkg.				
United Kingdom	1,363 packages ...	4 4 214	£ 91,715	...	...
New South Wales	93 " "	3	5,709	...	...
Victoria	204 " "	1 1	10,989	...	...
Tasmania	1 " "	...	11	...	...
Totals	1,661 packages ...	4 8 215	£ 108,424	243 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	£ 9,829 2 2
Blankets:		Bales packages				
United Kingdom	770 packages ...	154 207	£ 26,204	...	...
New South Wales	10 " "	9	503	...	...
Victoria	75 " "	9	1,946	...	...
Tasmania	1 " "	...	20	...	...
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	5 " "	...	110	...	...
Totals	861 packages ...	172 207	£ 28,783	667 packages	10 per cent. ad valorem	£ 3,620 7 9
WORKS OF ART:						
United Kingdom	39 packages ...	...	372	...	...
ZINC:						
Sheet:		Tons cwt. qr.				
United Kingdom	348 17 3 ...	...	9,727	...	...
New South Wales	1 14 ...	...	46	...	...
Victoria	5 18 2 ...	...	186	...	...
Totals	356 10 1 ...	...	9,959	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	£ 995 19 3
Tiles:		Tons cwt. qr.				
United Kingdom	1 6 3 ...	...	37	...	1s. per cwt. ...	1 6 11
Manufactures:						
United Kingdom	60 packages ...	...	390	...	...
Victoria	13 " "	...	93	...	...
Totals	73 packages ...	...	483	...	10 per cent. ad valorem	£ 48 6 2
TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS	...	...	...	...	...	£ 8,755,667 0 0
TOTAL DUTY RECEIVED	...	...	...	...	...	£ 1,344,943 18 4

WILLIAM SEED,
Secretary of Customs.

TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

TABLE showing the Total Value of the Imports of New Zealand during each Year from 1869 to 1878, inclusive.

	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.
Provincial District of Auckland :										
United Kingdom	£ 605,039	£ 806,002	£ 349,070	£ 637,671	£ 859,187	£ 1,098,618	£ 1,078,615	£ 883,814	£ 666,390	£ 950,743
British Colonies and Possessions	648,164	393,952	559,505	549,063	503,970	404,249	438,771	327,586	434,702	419,597
Foreign States }	111,506	121,947	70,631	44,416	87,770	80,919	71,929	58,814	62,696	89,679
Totals... ...	£ 1,364,709	£ 1,319,901	£ 979,206	£ 1,227,750	£ 1,450,927	£ 1,583,786	£ 1,589,315	£ 1,270,214	£ 1,163,788	£ 1,460,019
Provincial District of Taranaki :										
United Kingdom	5,561	8,799	6,432	9,488	10,082	12,307	14,766	10,281	7,441	11,609
British Colonies and Possessions	6,669	7,399	5,486	7,905	8,715	7,090	10,275	11,070	10,991	13,557
Foreign States	100	...	212	186	263	490	274	138	291	
Totals... ...	£ 12,330	£ 16,198	£ 11,918	£ 17,605	£ 18,983	£ 19,660	£ 25,531	£ 21,625	£ 18,570	£ 25,457
Provincial District of Hawke's Bay :										
United Kingdom	50,452	58,386	34,263	53,363	94,504	141,613	114,078	103,753	86,616	110,504
British Colonies and Possessions	29,775	36,770	31,706	50,619	60,547	71,308	56,928	54,880	64,865	70,324
Foreign States	10	...	70	74	1,115	1,261	3,365	3,880	1,143	3,259
Totals... ...	£ 80,237	£ 95,156	£ 66,039	£ 104,056	£ 156,166	£ 214,182	£ 174,371	£ 162,513	£ 152,624	£ 184,087
Provincial District of Wellington :										
United Kingdom	283,999	308,799	257,782	308,032	522,669	809,098	922,739	814,694	829,973	1,009,431
British Colonies and Possessions	184,847	179,347	170,762	202,282	225,660	310,395	307,918	344,590	475,433	441,794
Foreign States	6,662	5,676	4,249	6,251	33,138	34,637	51,583	51,356	65,433	78,006
Totals... ...	£ 475,508	£ 493,822	£ 432,793	£ 516,565	£ 781,467	£ 1,154,130	£ 1,282,240	£ 1,210,640	£ 1,370,839	£ 1,529,231
Provincial District of Marlborough :										
United Kingdom	2,707	3,867	3,949	5,170	7,988	4,112	8,649	6,245	5,173	6,102
British Colonies and Possessions	3,402	5,181	7,009	6,690	8,545	6,620	4,720	2,159	5,293	5,384
Foreign States	2	...	...	...	...	...	20	57	39	128
Totals... ...	£ 6,109	£ 9,050	£ 10,958	£ 11,860	£ 16,533	£ 10,732	£ 13,389	£ 8,461	£ 10,505	£ 11,614
Provincial District of Nelson :										
United Kingdom	161,332	153,843	133,776	113,998	166,442	204,090	151,234	170,395	88,243	147,816
British Colonies and Possessions	198,415	136,851	174,146	234,573	200,392	163,418	166,629	151,451	139,580	118,382
Foreign States	7,113	150	140	704	7,619	16,610	23,731	7,016	9,226	5,709
Totals... ...	£ 366,860	£ 290,844	£ 308,062	£ 349,275	£ 374,453	£ 384,118	£ 341,594	£ 328,862	£ 237,049	£ 271,907
Provincial District of Westland :										
United Kingdom	4,517	930	990	1,501	1,295	2,453	15,055	20,107	18,014	28,911
British Colonies and Possessions	491,968	408,685	366,482	349,290	305,204	348,077	248,036	241,500	254,067	217,207
Foreign States	246	472	10	...	3	514	408	347	746	32
Totals... ...	£ 496,731	£ 410,087	£ 367,482	£ 350,791	£ 306,502	£ 351,044	£ 263,499	£ 261,954	£ 272,827	£ 246,150
Provincial District of Canterbury :										
United Kingdom	338,107	350,618	368,522	377,886	715,720	1,177,997	818,394	828,315	826,954	1,136,376
British Colonies and Possessions	196,275	157,880	192,208	271,229	354,630	344,087	436,152	410,432	463,596	745,527
Foreign States	12,622	2,442	5,339	22,304	13,948	46,742	47,894	40,542	58,389	169,450
Totals... ...	£ 546,804	£ 510,640	£ 566,069	£ 671,419	£ 1,084,298	£ 1,568,826	£ 1,302,440	£ 1,279,280	£ 1,348,939	£ 2,051,353
Provincial District of Otago :										
United Kingdom	1,006,865	994,492	653,852	1,178,051	1,403,243	2,030,748	1,980,380	1,613,665	1,586,740	1,931,678
British Colonies and Possessions	520,816	436,107	604,750	612,801	762,653	672,353	834,896	603,087	660,182	880,726
Foreign States	99,102	62,657	76,999	107,766	109,402	132,233	221,817	144,861	151,355	163,441
Totals... ...	£ 1,626,783	£ 1,493,256	£ 1,335,601	£ 1,898,618	£ 2,275,338	£ 2,835,334	£ 3,036,793	£ 2,361,613	£ 2,398,277	£ 2,975,845
Chatham Islands :										
United Kingdom ... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Colonies and Possessions	4	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Foreign States	51	61	56	12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals... ...	£ 55	£ 61	£ 65	£ 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
General Totals :										
United Kingdom	2,458,579	2,685,736	1,808,636	2,685,160	3,781,130	5,481,036	5,103,610	4,451,260	4,115,544	5,333,170
British Colonies and Possessions	2,280,135	1,759,872	2,112,063	2,276,052	2,430,316	2,327,597	2,504,325	2,140,755	2,508,799	2,912,498
Foreign States	237,412	193,407	157,494	181,739	253,241	313,179	421,237	307,147	349,165	509,995
Totals... ...	£ 4,976,126	£ 4,639,015	£ 4,078,193	£ 5,142,951	£ 6,464,687	£ 8,121,812	£ 8,029,172	£ 6,905,171	£ 6,973,418	£ 8,755,663

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Articles, and Countries to which Exported.	Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Value in Sterling.		
				Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manu- factures.	Totals.
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS:						
Norfolk Island ...	...	2 packages ...	2 packages ...	£	£	£
Pacific Islands ...	...	I " "	I " "	5	5	5
Totals ...	...	3 packages ...	3 packages ...	10	10	10
ALKALI, SODA CRYSTALS, &c.:						
New South Wales ...	...	184 cwt. ...	184 cwt. ...	...	110	110
ALE AND BEER:						
Bottled:						
United Kingdom ...	...	86 gallons ...	86 gallons ...	...	16	16
New South Wales ...	8 gallons	39 " ...	47 " ...	2	10	12
Norfolk Island ...	...	67 " ...	67 " ...	...	18	18
Fiji Islands ...	189 "	22 " ...	211 " ...	23	5	28
Pacific Islands ...	340 "	2,082 " ...	2,422 " ...	63	523	586
Whale Fisheries ...	...	34 " ...	34 " ...	...	10	10
Peru ...	...	63 " ...	63 " ...	...	20	20
Chili ...	...	16 " ...	16 " ...	...	4	4
Totals ...	537 gallons ...	2,409 gallons ...	2,946 gallons ...	88	606	694
Bulk:						
New South Wales ...	50 gallons ...	...	50 gallons ...	7	...	7
South Australia ...	56 "	...	56 " ...	8	...	8
Fiji Islands ...	50 "	...	50 " ...	5	...	5
Pacific Islands ...	610 "	...	610 " ...	81	...	81
Totals ...	766 gallons ...	...	766 gallons ...	101	...	101
APPAREL AND SLOPS:						
United Kingdom ...	17 packages ...	133 packages ...	150 packages ...	332	3,025	3,357
New South Wales ...	14 "	47 " ...	61 " ...	45	582	627
Victoria ...	1 "	78 " ...	79 " ...	9	1,145	1,154
Tasmania ...	...	1 " ...	1 " ...	...	10	10
Norfolk Island ...	...	3 " ...	3 " ...	...	11	11
Pacific Islands ...	...	48 " ...	48 " ...	...	1,600	1,600
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	...	2 " ...	2 " ...	...	20	20
Totals ...	32 packages ...	312 packages ...	344 packages ...	386	6,393	6,779
ARMS AND AMMUNITION:						
Fire:						
United Kingdom ...	...	2,171 number ...	2,171 number ...	...	200	200
Victoria ...	...	11 " ...	11 " ...	...	38	38
Norfolk Island ...	...	1 " ...	1 " ...	...	10	10
Totals ...	...	2,183 number ...	2,183 number ...	...	248	248
Cartridges:						
United Kingdom ...	...	2,100 number ...	2,100 number ...	...	17	17
Dynamite:						
Fiji Islands ...	...	150 lb. ...	150 lb. ...	...	29	29
Pacific Islands ...	...	336 " ...	336 " ...	...	60	60
Totals ...	...	486 lb. ...	486 lb. ...	...	89	89
Other Explosives:						
Fiji Islands ...	...	2 packages ...	2 packages ...	...	9	9
Pacific Islands ...	...	I " ...	I " ...	...	13	13
Totals ...	...	3 packages ...	3 packages ...	...	22	22
Fuse:						
Fiji Islands ...	...	2 packages ...	2 packages ...	...	2	2
Pacific Islands ...	...	I " ...	I " ...	...	3	3
Totals	3 packages ...	3 packages	5	5
ARROWROOT (Bulk):						
Victoria	3,861 lb. ...	3,861 lb.	60	60

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Articles, and Countries to which Exported.	Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufactures.	Total.	Value in Sterling.		
				Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manu- factures.	Totals.
BAGS AND SACKS:						
Corn:						
Victoria ...	... ...	12 packages ...	12 packages ...	...	14	14
New Caledonia ...	... ...	11 "	11 "	...	5	5
Pacific Islands ...	... ...	98 "	98 "	...	135	135
Totals ...	... ...	121 packages ...	121 packages ...	...	154	154
Woolpacks:						
United Kingdom ...	... ...	3 packages ...	3 packages ...	...	6	6
Norfolk Island ...	... ...	1 "	1 "	...	1	1
Pacific Islands ...	... ...	11 "	11 "	...	112	112
Totals ...	... ...	15 packages ...	15 packages ...	...	119	119
BARK:	Tons cwt.		Tons cwt.			
United Kingdom ...	49 11 ...	...	694	...	694	
BEESWAX:	Cwt. qr. lb.		Cwt. qr. lb.			
United Kingdom ...	27 2 14 ...	...	123	...	123	
BISCUITS:						
Plain:	Cwt. qr.		Cwt. qr.			
New South Wales ...	40 ...	...	40	...	42	42
Victoria ...	3 ...	...	3	...	1	1
Norfolk Island ...	83 2 ...	...	83 2	...	101	101
New Caledonia ...	198 1 ...	...	198 1	...	403	403
Fiji Islands ...	472 ...	...	472	...	622	622
Pacific Islands ...	3,187 ...	...	3,187	...	3,829	3,829
Whale Fisheries ...	70 ...	...	70	...	69	69
Totals ...	4,051 2 ...	...	4,051 2 ...	5,067	...	5,067
Fancy:						
Pacific Islands ...	229 packages ...	1 package ...	230 packages ...	216	5	221
BOATS:						
Norfolk Island ...	... ...	1 number ...	1 number ...	...	20	20
Fiji Islands ...	20 number ...	...	20 "	424	...	424
Pacific Islands ...	10 "	...	11 "	279	25	304
Totals ...	30 number ...	2 number ...	32 number ...	703	45	748
BONES:	Tons cwt.		Tons cwt.			
United Kingdom ...	74 8 ...	...	74 8	546	...	546
Victoria ...	19 ...	...	19	142	...	142
Totals ...	93 8 ...	...	93 8	688	...	688
BOOKS (Printed):						
United Kingdom ...	... ...	45 packages ...	45 packages ...	...	1,603	1,603
Victoria ...	1 package ...	25 "	26 "	1	1,486	1,487
New South Wales ...	7 " ...	20 "	27 "	35	321	356
Norfolk Island ...	...	6 "	6 "	...	25	25
Pacific Islands ...	...	3 "	3 "	...	6	6
United States of America:						
On the Pacific ...	...	1 "	1 "	...	20	20
Totals ...	8 packages ...	100 packages ...	108 packages ...	36	3,461	3,497
BOOTS AND SHOES:						
United Kingdom ...	... ...	1 package ...	1 package ...	...	10	10
New South Wales ...	2 packages ...	2 "	4 "	10	31	41
Victoria ...	...	3 "	3 / "	...	40	40
Norfolk Island ...	...	1 "	1 "	...	34	34
Fiji Islands ...	...	1 "	1 "	...	10	10
Pacific Islands ...	8 " ...	3 "	11 "	185	40	225
Totals ...	10 packages ...	11 packages ...	21 packages ...	195	165	360
BRAN AND SHARPS:	Tons cwt. qr.		Tons cwt. qr.			
Queensland ...	117 ...	...	117 ...	692	...	692
New South Wales ...	833 7	833 7 ...	4,354	...	4,354
Tasmania ...	3 10	3 10 ...	20	...	20
Norfolk Island ...	1 1	1 1 ...	1	...	1

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BRAN AND SHARPS— <i>contd.</i>	Tons cwt. qr.		Tons cwt. qr.	£	£	£
Fiji Islands ...	3 8	3 8 ...	29	...	29
Guam ...	29 10	29 10 ...	138	...	138
Mauritius ...	58 ...	...	58 ...	356	...	356
Cape Colony ...	34 ...	...	34 ...	170	...	170
Totals ...	1,078 16 1 ...	...	1,078 16 1 ...	5,760	...	5,760
BRASSWARE:						
China ...	... ...	5 packages ...	5 packages ...	...	18	18
BRICKS (Common):						
Norfolk Island ...	1,000 number ...	...	1,000 number ...	2	...	2
Fiji Islands ...	10,500 " ...	...	10,500 " ...	21	...	21
Pacific Islands ...	1,700 " ...	...	1,700 " ...	7	...	7
Totals ...	13,200 number ...	...	13,200 number ...	30	...	30
BRUSHWARE:						
Norfolk Island ...	... ...	1 package ...	1 package ...	...	1	1
Fiji Islands ...	... ...	4 " ...	4 " ...	...	13	13
Pacific Islands ...	... ...	6 " ...	6 " ...	...	26	26
Totals ...	... ...	11 packages ...	11 packages ...	...	40	40
BRUSHES AND COMBS:						
Pacific Islands ...	... ...	6 packages ...	6 packages ...	...	76	76
BUCKETS AND TUBS:						
Norfolk Island ...	... ...	2 packages ...	2 packages ...	...	2	2
Pacific Islands ...	... ...	11 " ...	11 " ...	...	16	16
Totals ...	... ...	13 packages ...	13 packages ...	...	18	18
BUTTER:	Cwt. qr.		Cwt. qr.			
United Kingdom ...	157 ...	...	157 ...	694	...	694
Queensland ...	62 ...	...	62 ...	212	...	212
New South Wales ...	1,536 1 ...	...	1,536 1 ...	5,783	...	5,783
Victoria ...	659 3 ...	...	659 3 ...	2,485	...	2,485
South Australia ...	257 ...	...	257 ...	1,042	...	1,042
Tasmania ...	96 ...	...	96 ...	376	...	376
Norfolk Island ...	3 ...	...	3 ...	5	...	5
New Caledonia ...	49 3 ...	...	49 3 ...	200	...	200
Fiji Islands ...	49 2 ...	...	49 2 ...	250	...	250
Pacific Islands ...	49 2 ...	...	49 2 ...	253	...	253
Whale Fisheries ...	3 ...	...	3 ...	7	...	7
Guam ...	4 ...	...	4 ...	15	...	15
Mauritius ...	65 ...	...	65 ...	390	...	390
Cape Colony ...	116 ...	...	116 ...	399	...	399
Totals ...	3,105 2 ...	...	3,105 2 ...	12,111	...	12,111
CANDLES:			Cwt. qr.			
Norfolk Island ...	... ...	7 ...	7 ...	...	27	27
Pacific Islands ...	... ...	3 2 ...	3 2 ...	...	21	21
Peru ...	... ...	2 ...	2 ...	...	1	1
Totals ...	... ...	11 ...	11 ...	...	49	49
CANVAS:						
United Kingdom ...	... ...	7 packages ...	7 packages ...	...	22	22
New South Wales ...	... ...	1 " ...	1 " ...	...	49	49
Totals ...	... ...	8 packages ...	8 packages ...	...	71	71
CARRIAGES AND CARTS:						
United Kingdom ...	... ...	1 number ...	1 number ...	...	200	200
New South Wales	1 " ...	1 "	15	15
Pacific Islands ...	2 "	2 " ...	55	...	55
Totals	3 number ...	4 number ...	70	200	270

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CARRIAGE MATERIALS:						
Norfolk Island	Value only	...	Value only	£ 40	...	£ 40
Pacific Islands	"	...	"	37	...	37
Totals	Value only	...	Value only	77	...	77
CASKS (Empty):						
New South Wales	50 number	...	50 number	25	...	25
Pacific Islands	122 "	...	122 "	54	...	54
Totals	172 number	...	172 number	79	...	79
CEMENT:						
Norfolk Island	...	2 cwt.	2 cwt.	...	1	1
Fiji Islands	...	40 "	40 "	...	14	14
Pacific Islands	...	34 "	34 "	...	11	11
Totals	...	76 cwt.	76 cwt.	...	26	26
CHEESE:	Cwt. qr.		Cwt. qr.			
United Kingdom	5 1	...	5 1	33	...	33
Queensland	26	...	26	85	...	85
New South Wales	2,043	...	2,043	6,377	...	6,377
Victoria	135 3	...	135 3	410	...	410
South Australia	488	...	488	1,493	...	1,493
New Caledonia	40 1	...	40 1	119	...	119
Fiji Islands	39 3	...	39 3	105	...	105
Pacific Islands	31 2	1 cwt.	32 2	73	5	78
Guam	51	...	51	164	...	164
Mauritius	60	...	60	210	...	210
Cape Colony	99	...	99	299	...	299
Totals	3,019 2	1 cwt.	3,020 2	9,368	5	9,373
CHINA AND PORCELAIN:						
Pacific Islands	...	2 packages	2 packages	...	25	25
COALS:						
New South Wales	1,840 tons	...	1,840 tons	1,840	...	1,840
Victoria	4,514 "	...	4,514 "	3,287	...	3,287
Pacific Islands	8 "	...	8 "	12	...	12
Totals	6,362 tons	...	6,362 tons	5,139	...	5,139
COCOA AND CHOCOLATE:						
Pacific Islands	...	90 lb.	90 lb.	...	6	6
COFFEE:						
United Kingdom	...	99 lb.	99 lb.	...	5	5
Victoria	6 "	...	6 "	...	1	1
Pacific Islands	483 "	...	483 "	...	26	26
Whale Fisheries	519 "	...	519 "	...	38	38
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	251 "	...	251 "	...	17	17
Totals	1,358 lb.	...	1,358 lb.	...	87	87
COKE AND FUEL:						
Victoria	85 tons	...	85 tons	177	...	177
CONFECTIONERY:						
Norfolk Island	...	1 package	1 package	...	3	3
Pacific Islands	10 "	...	10 "	35	...	35
Totals	...	11 packages	11 packages	...	38	38
COPPER:						
<i>Rod, Bar, &c.</i> :	Tons cwt.	Tons cwt.	Tons cwt.			
New South Wales	8 4	...	8 4	285	...	285
China	4 4	...	4 4	234	...	234
Totals	4 4	...	12 8	234	285	519
Nails:						
Pacific Islands	...	Cwt. qr.	Cwt. qr.	...	22	22
	3 2	...	3 2	

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COPPER—continued.						
<i>Sheathing:</i>						
United Kingdom	...					
	...	Tons cwt. I 10 ...	Tons cwt. I 10 ...	£	£	£
				20	20	
COPRA:						
United Kingdom	...	287 tons 12 „	287 tons 12 „	...	4,310 180	4,310 180
New South Wales		
Totals	...	299 tons	299 tons	...	4,490	4,490
CORDAGE:						
New South Wales	...	Cwt. qr. 108	Cwt. qr. 20	128 cwt.	312	362
Norfolk Island	...	3 2	3 2	7 „	11	28
New Caledonia	...	23	...	23 „	49	49
Fiji Islands	18	18 „	33	33
Pacific Islands	...	234	26	260 „	531	620
Totals	...	368 2	67 2	436 cwt.	903	1,092
CORK AND CORKS:						
Fiji Islands	...	2 packages	2 packages	...	17	17
COTTONS:						
Pacific Islands	...	364 packages	364 packages	...	9,414	9,414
COTTON:						
United Kingdom	...	14,370 lb.	14,370 lb.	...	335	335
Seed:						
United Kingdom	...	Tons cwt. 15 3	Tons cwt. 15 3	...	60	60
CURIOSITIES:						
United Kingdom	...	17 packages	18 packages	35 packages	380	557
Victoria	...	1 „	1 „	1 „	5	5
United States of America: On the Pacific	...	6 „	...	6 „	10	10
Totals	...	23 packages	19 packages	42 packages	390	572
CUTLERY:						
New Caledonia	...	2 packages	2 packages	...	73	73
Pacific Islands	...	31 „	31 „	...	407	407
Totals	...	33 packages	33 packages	...	480	480
DOORS AND SASHES:						
New South Wales	...	4 number	4 number	...	4	4
Norfolk Island	...	8 number	8 „	3	...	3
Fiji Islands	...	708 „	708 „	445	...	445
Pacific Islands	...	124 „	124 „	99	...	99
Totals	...	840 number	844 number	547	4	551
DRAPERY:						
United Kingdom	...	3 packages	3 packages	...	46	46
New South Wales	...	8 „	8 „	...	524	524
Victoria	...	11 „	11 „	...	207	207
Norfolk Island	...	24 „	24 „	...	568	568
Fiji Islands	...	16 „	16 „	...	710	710
Pacific Islands	...	207 „	207 „	...	10,557	10,557
Totals	...	269 packages	269 packages	...	12,612	12,612
DRUGS:						
United Kingdom	...	9 packages	9 packages	...	15	15
New South Wales	...	2 „	2 „	...	15	15
Victoria	...	3 „	3 „	...	51	51
Norfolk Island	...	2 „	2 „	...	2	2
Fiji Islands	...	5 „	5 „	...	30	30
Pacific Islands	...	31 „	31 „	...	75	75
Totals	...	52 packages	52 packages	...	188	188

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DRUGGISTS' WARES :						
United Kingdom	...	25 packages	25 packages	£	£	£
New South Wales	...	2 "	2 "	40	40	
Victoria	...	1 "	1 "	10	10	
Norfolk Island	...	3 "	3 "	10	10	
New Caledonia	...	1 "	1 "	9	9	
Pacific Islands	...	21 "	21 "	2	2	
Totals	...	53 packages	53 packages	35	35	
EARTHENWARE :						
New South Wales	...	45 packages	45 packages	...	25	25
Victoria	...	40 "	40 "	18	18	
Norfolk Island	...	6 "	6 "	37	37	
Pacific Islands	...	19 "	19 "	66	66	
Totals	...	110 packages	110 packages	146	146	
FANCY GOODS :						
United Kingdom	...	15 packages	15 packages	...	83	83
New South Wales	...	15 "	15 "	530	530	
New Caledonia	...	3 "	3 "	18	18	
Fiji Islands	...	2 "	2 "	22	22	
Pacific Islands	...	20 "	20 "	240	240	
Totals	...	55 packages	55 packages	893	893	
FISH :						
<i>Dried :</i>	Cwts. qr.		Cwt. qr.			
New South Wales	8	...	8	22	...	22
Victoria	77 1	...	77 1	138	...	138
Fiji Islands	1 2	...	1 2	4	...	4
Totals	86 3	...	86 3	164	...	164
<i>Potted :</i>						
Pacific Islands	...	446 packages	446 packages	...	643	643
United States of America :						
On the Atlantic	...	1 "	1 "	1	1	
Peru	...	6 "	6 "	10	10	
Totals	...	453 packages	453 packages	654	654	
<i>Salted :</i>						
Pacific Islands	...	11 cwt.	11 cwt.	...	28	28
FLOUR :						
United Kingdom	Tons cwt.		Tons cwt.			
Queensland	1,377 10	...	1,377 10	16,728	...	16,728
New South Wales	248 18	...	248 18	3,203	...	3,203
Tasmania	185	...	185	1,992	...	1,992
Norfolk Island	58 12	...	58 12	585	...	585
New Caledonia	12 7	...	12 7	200	...	200
Fiji Islands	34 2	...	34 2	211	...	211
Pacific Islands	3 10	...	3 10	57	...	57
Whale Fisheries	154 2	...	1 ton	2,592	10	2,602
Java	5	...	5	69	...	69
Mauritius	580	...	580	6,960	...	6,960
Cape Colony	340	...	340	4,311	...	4,311
Totals	1,032	...	1 ton	11,533	...	11,533
Totals	...	4,031 1	1 ton	4,032 1	48,441	10
FRUITS :						
<i>Currants :</i>						
New South Wales	Cwt. qr.		Cwt. qr.			
Pacific Islands	229 2	...	229 2	330	330	
Peru	5 2	...	5 2	13	13	
Totals	...	237 2	237 2	6	6	
<i>Dried :</i>						
Victoria	5 cwt.		5 cwt.	7	7	
Pacific Islands	11 "		11 "	31	31	
Totals	...	16 cwt.	16 cwt.	38	38	

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FRUITS—continued.						
<i>Green:</i>						
Norfolk Island ...	1 package ...	20 packages ...	1 package ...	1	...	1
New Caledonia ...	...	20 "	20 "	10	10	10
Fiji Islands ...	21 "	1 "	22 "	1	1	17
Totals ...	22 packages ...	21 packages ...	43 packages ...	17	11	28
<i>Preserved:</i>						
Norfolk Island ...	...	2 packages ...	2 packages ...	3	3	3
Pacific Islands ...	...	10 "	10 "	17	17	17
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic ...	...	1 "	1 "	1	1	1
Totals ...	...	13 packages ...	13 packages ...	21	21	21
<i>Raisins:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	...	Cwt. qr. 2	Cwt. qr. 2	1	1	1
Norfolk Island ...	...	2	2	2	2	2
Pacific Islands ...	...	6	6	16	16	16
Totals ...	...	7	7	19	19	19
FUNGIUS:						
New South Wales ...	Cwt. qr. 1,432 3	...	Cwt. qr. 1,432 3	3,634	...	3,634
United States of America:						
On the Pacific ...	18 1	...	18 1	34	...	34
China ...	603	...	603	1,510	...	1,510
Totals ...	2,054	...	2,054	5,178	...	5,178
FURNITURE:						
United Kingdom ...	...	9 packages ...	9 packages ...	155	155	155
New South Wales ...	1 package ...	34 "	35 "	50	50	60
Victoria ...	...	2 "	2 "	30	30	30
Norfolk Island ...	...	5 "	5 "	11	11	11
Pacific Islands ...	25 "	23 "	48 "	161	161	199
Totals ...	26 packages ...	73 packages ...	99 packages ...	407	407	455
GAS PLANT:						
United Kingdom ...	Value only ...	Value only ...	Value only ...	100	100	100
GLASS:						
<i>Bottles:</i>						
New South Wales ...	...	24 packages ...	24 packages ...	20	20	20
New Caledonia ...	...	6 "	6 "	3	3	3
Totals ...	...	30 packages ...	30 packages ...	23	23	23
<i>Ware:</i>						
Victoria ...	...	1 package ...	1 package ...	3	3	3
Norfolk Island ...	...	3 "	3 "	3	3	3
Fiji Islands ...	...	1 "	1 "	4	4	4
Pacific Islands ...	...	19 "	19 "	65	65	65
Totals ...	...	24 packages ...	24 packages ...	75	75	75
<i>Window:</i>						
Norfolk Island ...	...	2 packages ...	2 packages ...	201	201	201
Pacific Islands ...	...	3 "	3 "	10	10	10
Totals ...	...	5 packages ...	5 packages ...	211	211	211
GLUE:						
United Kingdom ...	123 cwt. ...	...	123 cwt. ...	142	...	142
Victoria ...	1 ,	...	1 ,	3	3	3
Totals ...	124 cwt. ...	...	124 cwt. ...	145	...	145
GOLD:		Oz. dwt.	Oz. dwt.			
United Kingdom ...	146,475 3	...	146,475 3	593,380	...	593,380
New South Wales ...	18,175 11	...	18,175 11	71,076	...	71,076
Victoria ...	142,255 18	...	142,255 18	562,229	...	562,229

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GOLD—continued.	Oz. dwt.		Oz. dwt.	£	£	£
China ...	4,532 5	4,532 5 ...	17,503	...	17,503
India— Bombay ...	1	1 ...	4	...	4
Totals ...	311,439 17 ...	...	311,439 17 ...	1,244,192	...	1,244,192
GRAIN:						
<i>Barley:</i>						
New South Wales ...	4,412 bushels ...	...	4,412 bushels ...	1,013	...	1,013
Victoria ...	79,208 " " ...	...	79,208 " " ...	18,740	...	18,740
South Australia ...	18,852 " " ...	...	18,852 " " ...	4,713	...	4,713
Totals ...	102,472 bushels ...	...	102,472 bushels ...	24,466	...	24,466
<i>Beans and Peas:</i>						
Queensland ...	800 bushels ...	...	800 bushels ...	200	...	200
New South Wales ...	45 " ...	37 bushels ...	82 " ...	11	20	31
Totals ...	845 bushels ...	37 bushels ...	882 bushels ...	211	20	231
<i>Maize:</i>						
Fiji Islands ...	4 bushels ...	...	4 bushels ...	1	...	1
Pacific Islands ...	12 " ...	...	12 " ...	4	...	4
Totals ...	16 bushels ...	...	16 bushels ...	5	...	5
<i>Malt:</i>						
New South Wales ...	4,717 bushels ...	...	4,717 bushels ...	1,674	...	1,674
South Australia ...	1,234 " ...	...	1,234 " ...	463	...	463
Totals ...	5,951 bushels ...	...	5,951 bushels ...	2,137	...	2,137
<i>Oats:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	16 bushels ...	...	16 bushels	3	...	3
Queensland ...	3,536 " ...	...	3,536 " ...	721	...	721
New South Wales ...	25,342 " ...	...	25,342 " ...	5,253	...	5,253
Victoria ...	230,540 " ...	...	230,540 " ...	44,200	...	44,200
South Australia ...	40,128 " ...	...	40,128 " ...	8,276	...	8,276
Fiji Islands ...	12 " ...	...	12 " ...	3	...	3
Pacific Islands ...	1,120 " ...	...	1,120 " ...	254	...	254
Guam ...	1,650 " ...	...	1,650 " ...	265	...	265
United States of America: On the Pacific ...	428 " ...	...	428 " ...	155	...	155
Totals ...	302,772 bushels ...	...	302,772 bushels ...	59,130	...	59,130
<i>Peas (Split):</i>						
Pacific Islands ...	... 3 cwt. ...	3 cwt. ...	3 cwt. ...	3	3	3
<i>Rice:</i>		Cwt. qr.	Cwt. qr.			
United Kingdom ...	1 2 ...	1 2 ...	1 2 ...	2	2	2
New South Wales ...	201 2 ...	201 2 ...	201 2 ...	182	182	182
Norfolk Island ...	73 ...	73 ...	73 ...	100	100	100
Fiji Islands ...	2 ...	2 ...	2 ...	1	1	1
Pacific Islands ...	438 2 ...	438 2 ...	438 2 ...	532	532	532
Peru ...	5 ...	5 ...	5 ...	5	5	5
Totals ...	720 ...	720 ...	720 ...	822	822	822
<i>Wheat:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	1,347,714 bushels	...	1,347,714 bushels	337,434	...	337,434
Queensland ...	1,520 " ...	...	1,520 " ...	364	...	364
New South Wales ...	208,576 " ...	...	208,576 " ...	50,478	...	50,478
Victoria ...	200 " ...	...	200 " ...	55	...	55
Tasmania ...	63,267 " ...	...	63,267 " ...	15,014	...	15,014
Mauritius ...	33,904 " ...	...	33,904 " ...	8,568	...	8,568
Cape Colony ...	45,832 " ...	...	45,832 " ...	11,119	...	11,119
Totals ...	1,701,013 bushels	...	1,701,013 bushels	423,032	...	423,032
<i>GUANO:</i>						
Victoria 93 tons ...	93 tons ...	93 tons ...	558	558	558

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GUM (Kauri):						
United Kingdom	2,400	18	...	2,400	18	91,911
Victoria	...	13	...	13	33	33
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	1,029	15	1	1,029	15	40,620
On the Pacific	...	14	...	14	411	411
Totals	3,445	6	1	3,445	6	132,975
HABERDASHERY:						
Pacific Islands	...	...	19 packages	19 packages	...	386
HAIR:						
United Kingdom	150	qr.	...	Cwt. qr.	860	860
Victoria	2	2	...	2	4	4
Totals	152	2	...	152	2	864
HARDWARE AND IRONMONGERY:						
United Kingdom	...	...	5 packages	5 packages	...	50
New South Wales	...	...	58 "	58 "	...	297
Victoria	...	...	14 "	14 "	...	151
South Australia	...	...	30 "	30 "	...	380
Norfolk Island	...	...	63 "	63 "	...	318
New Caledonia	...	...	2 "	2 "	...	52
Fiji Islands	...	...	59 "	59 "	...	44
Pacific Islands	...	...	351 "	351 "	...	1,653
Totals	...	...	582 packages	582 packages	...	2,945
HATS AND CAPS:						
Victoria	...	...	1 package	1 package	...	26
Pacific Islands	...	...	11 "	11 "	...	175
Totals	...	...	12 packages	12 packages	...	201
HAY:		Tons cwt.		Tons cwt.		
Queensland	20	...	...	20	...	100
New Caledonia	2	...	...	2	...	1
Guam	21	...	...	21	...	105
Totals	41	2	...	41	2	206
HIDES:						
United Kingdom	...	90 number	...	90 number	85	85
New South Wales	...	649 "	...	649 "	730	730
Victoria	...	9,340 "	...	9,330 "	8,676	8,676
Tasmania	...	137 "	...	147 "	99	99
Totals	...	10,216 number	...	10,216 number	9,590	9,590
HONEY:						
United Kingdom	...	30 cwt.	...	30 cwt.	65	65
HOPS:						
New South Wales	...	2 cwt.	...	Cwt. qr.	7	7
Victoria	...	...	20 2	20 2	85	85
Totals	...	2 cwt.	...	22 2	7	92
HORNS AND HOOFS:		Tons cwt.		Tons cwt.		
United Kingdom	...	17 17	...	17 17	351	351
Victoria	...	12	...	12	15	15
Totals	...	18 9	...	18 9	366	366
HOSIERY:						
Pacific Islands	...	...	5 packages	5 packages	...	69
INSTRUMENTS:						
Musical (<i>Pianofortes</i>):						
New South Wales	1 number	1 number	45	45
Victoria	1 "	1 "	100	100
Totals	2 number	2 number	145	145

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INSTRUMENTS—continued.					£	£
<i>Musical (Other Kinds):</i>						
United Kingdom	...	2 packages	...	2 packages	...	100
New South Wales	...	3 "	...	3 "	...	101
Victoria	...	1 "	...	1 "	...	10
Pacific Islands	...	3 "	...	3 "	...	17
Totals	...	9 packages	...	9 packages	...	228
<i>Optical:</i>						
Pacific Islands	...	2 packages	...	2 packages	...	11
<i>Scientific:</i>						
Pacific Islands	...	1 package	...	1 package	...	2
<i>Surgical:</i>						
United Kingdom	...	1 package	...	1 package	...	10
IRON:						
<i>Bar and Rod:</i>		Tons cwt.		Tons cwt.		
New South Wales	...	I I	...	I I	...	10
Pacific Islands	...	II	...	II	...	8
Totals	...	I 12	...	I 12	...	18
<i>Fencing:</i>		Tons cwt.		Tons cwt.		
Pacific Islands	...	I I	...	I I	...	18
<i>Galvanized:</i>		Tons cwt.		Tons cwt.		
Pacific Islands	...	7 16	...	7 16	...	265
<i>Hoop:</i>						
Pacific Islands	...	2 tons	...	2 tons	...	32
<i>Sand:</i>						
United Kingdom	...	2 tons	...	2 tons	...	20
<i>Sheet:</i>						
Pacific Islands	...	5 cwt.	...	5 cwt.	...	10
<i>Tanks:</i>						
Norfolk Island	...	I number	...	I number	...	4
Fiji Islands	...	4 "	...	4 "	...	20
Pacific Islands	...	5 "	...	5 "	...	25
Totals	...	10 number	...	10 number	...	49
<i>Old, Scrap, and Undescribed:</i>		Tons cwt.		Tons cwt.		
United Kingdom	...	10	...	10	...	65
New South Wales	...	163 10	...	163 10	...	520
Fiji Islands	...	I I	...	I I	...	37
Pacific Islands	...	I 7	...	I 7	...	20
China	...	56	...	56	...	121
Totals	...	231 18	...	231 18	...	763
JAMS AND JELLIES:						
New South Wales	...	4 packages	...	4 packages	...	12
Norfolk Island	...	2 "	...	2 "	...	4
Pacific Islands	...	63 "	...	63 "	...	119
Totals	...	69 packages	...	69 packages	...	135
JEWELLERY:						
United Kingdom	...	I package	...	I package	...	5
LAMPS AND LANTERNS:						
Pacific Islands	...	14 packages	...	14 packages	...	151
LARD:						
United Kingdom	...	14 cwt.	...	14 cwt.	...	40
Queensland	...	18 "	...	18 "	...	36
New South Wales	...	65 "	...	65 "	...	141
Victoria	...	39 "	...	39 "	...	104
Totals	...	136 cwt.	...	136 cwt.	...	321

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LEAD:			Tons cwt.	Tons cwt.	£	£
New South Wales	10	10	150	150
Fiji Islands	...	19			25	25
Pacific Islands	...	3			2	2
China	3 tons	...		37	...	37
Totals	...	3 tons	11 2	14 2	37	177 214
LEATHER:	Cwt. qr.			Cwt. qr.		
United Kingdom	1,761	...	7 cwt.	1,768	18,001	18,207
New South Wales	2	...		2	23	23
Victoria	62 1	...		62 1	320	320
Totals	1,825 1	...	7 cwt.	1,832 1	18,344	18,550
LEATHERWARE:						
Fiji Islands	...	...	1 package	1 package	1	1
Pacific Islands	...	...	4 "	4 "	30	30
Totals	...	...	5 packages	5 packages	31	31
LIMEJUICE:						
New South Wales	...	3,450 gallons	...	3,450 gallons	285	285
Victoria	...	2,736 "	...	2,736 "	260	260
Totals	...	6,186 gallons	...	6,186 gallons	545	545
LINSEED:			307 cwt.	307 cwt.	230	230
United Kingdom	...	...		
LIVE STOCK:						
<i>Asses:</i>						
Pacific Islands	7 number	...	...	7 number	41	41
<i>Horned Cattle:</i>						
Fiji Islands	4 number	...	...	4 number	40	40
Pacific Islands	19 "	...	...	19 "	130	130
Totals	23 number	...	...	23 number	170	170
<i>Horses:</i>						
New South Wales	3 number	...	...	3 number	110	110
Victoria	1 "	...	3 number	4 "	58	3,000
Fiji Islands	1 "	...	...	1 "	15	15
Pacific Islands	1 "	...	...	1 "	40	40
Totals	6 number	...	3 number	9 number	223	3,000 3,223
<i>Pigs:</i>						
Pacific Islands	48 number	...	...	48 number	132	132
<i>Poultry:</i>						
New South Wales	1 package	...	...	1 package	2	2
Fiji Islands	1 "	...	...	1 "	1	1
Pacific Islands	1 "	...	...	1 "	2	2
Totals	3 packages	...	...	3 packages	5	5
<i>Sheep:</i>						
New South Wales	31 number	...	...	31 number	305	305
Victoria	31 "	...	...	31 "	330	330
New Caledonia	450 "	...	...	450 "	327	327
Fiji Islands	2,970 "	...	...	2,970 "	1,996	1,996
Pacific Islands	56 "	...	...	56 "	49	49
Totals	3,538 number	...	...	3,538 number	3,007	3,007
MACHINERY:						
<i>Agricultural:</i>						
New South Wales	...	5 packages	...	5 packages	10	10
Pacific Islands	...	14 "	...	14 "	26	26
Totals	...	19 packages	...	19 packages	36	36
<i>Mining:</i>						
New South Wales	...	80 packages	...	80 packages	400	400

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MACHINERY—continued.				£	£	£
Sawing and Planing:				10	10	
Victoria	1 package ...	1 package	10	10
Steam-engines:						
Pacific Islands ...	...	1 number ...	1 number ...	...	100	100
Wool-pressing:						
New South Wales ...	...	17 packages ...	17 packages ...	...	150	150
Pacific Islands ...	...	10 " ...	10 " ...	...	90	90
Totals ...	...	27 packages ...	27 packages ...	...	240	240
Other Kinds:						
United Kingdom ...	...	4 packages ...	4 packages ...	...	78	78
New South Wales ...	21 packages ...	11 " ...	32 " ...	280	110	390
Victoria ...	2 "	8 "	10 "	30	157	187
Tasmania ...	...	37 "	37 "	...	350	350
Norfolk Island ...	...	1 "	1 "	...	8	8
Fiji Islands ...	...	5 "	5 "	...	25	25
Pacific Islands ...	...	15 "	15 "	...	184	184
Totals ...	...	23 packages ...	81 packages ...	104 packages ...	912	1,222
MARBLE:						
Victoria ...	7 packages ...	5 packages ...	7 packages ...	4	...	4
Norfolk Island ...	...	5 packages ...	5 " ...	...	190	190
Totals ...	7 packages ...	5 packages ...	12 packages ...	4	190	194
MATCHES AND VESTAS:						
United Kingdom ...	...	3 packages ...	3 packages ...	...	150	150
New South Wales ...	...	1 " ...	1 " ...	...	76	76
Norfolk Island ...	...	1 " ...	1 " ...	...	4	4
Pacific Islands ...	...	28 "	28 "	...	204	204
Totals ...	...	33 packages ...	33 packages ...	...	434	434
MATS AND RUGS:						
Pacific Islands ...	...	3 packages ...	3 packages ...	...	67	67
MATTING:						
Norfolk Island ...	...	1 package ...	1 package ...	...	4	4
Pacific Islands ...	...	3 " ...	3 " ...	...	6	6
Totals ...	...	4 packages ...	4 packages ...	...	10	10
MEAL:						
Maizena and Corn:						
Norfolk Island ...	...	1 package ...	1 package ...	...	3	3
Pacific Islands ...	...	3 " ...	3 " ...	...	1	1
Totals ...	...	4 packages ...	4 packages ...	...	4	4
Oat:	Cwt. qr.		Cwt. qr.			
Queensland ...	592	...	592	...	555	555
New South Wales ...	5,067	...	5,067	...	5,559	5,559
Victoria ...	2,010	...	2,010	...	2,188	2,188
South Australia ...	2,408	...	2,408	...	2,653	2,653
Norfolk Island ...	3	...	1 cwt. ...	1 3	2	4
New Caledonia ...	1	...	...	1	1	1
Fiji Islands ...	10 3	...	10 3	...	14	14
Pacific Islands ...	17 2	...	19 2	...	24	27
Cape Colony ...	100	...	100	...	90	90
Totals ...	10,207	...	3 cwt. ...	10,210	11,086	11,091
MEATS (Potted and Preserved):	Cwt. qr.		Cwt. qr.			
United Kingdom ...	27,682	...	27,682	...	73,049	73,049
New South Wales ...	248	...	248	...	458	458
Victoria ...	8	...	8	...	20	20
Tasmania ...	11	...	11	...	55	55
Norfolk Island ...	1	...	5 cwt. ...	5 1	1	8
Fiji Islands ...	4	...	4	...	9	9
Pacific Islands ...	169 2	...	98 "	267 2	542	213

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MEATS (Potted and Preserved) —continued.						
Whale Fisheries	... Cwt. qr.	2 cwt. ...	Cwt. qr.	£	£	£
China	... 65	... 65	... 91	... 4	4	91
Totals	... 28,187 3	... 105 cwt.	... 28,292 3	... 74,225	224	74,449
METAL (Old) :		Tons cwt.	Tons cwt.			
China	... ...	15 10	15 10	... 250	250	
MENAGERIE :		1 number	1 number	20,000	20,000	
Peru	... ...				
MILLINERY :		2 packages	2 packages	47	47	
Pacific Islands	... ...				
MINERALS :						
Antimony :		Tons cwt.	Tons cwt.			
United Kingdom	... 4 1	... ...	4 1	102	... 102	
Copper Ore :		Tons cwt.	Tons cwt.			
New South Wales	... 3	... ...	3	80	... 80	
Victoria	... 2 12	... ...	2 12	35	... 35	
Totals	... 5 12	... ...	5 12	115	... 115	
Manganese :		2,516 tons	2,516 tons	10,416	... 10,416	
United Kingdom	... ...	... ...		
Spelter :		Tons cwt.	Tons cwt.			
United Kingdom	... 10	... ...	10	177	... 177	
New South Wales	... 2 4	... ...	2 4	32	... 32	
China	... 3	... ...	3	50	... 50	
Totals	... 15 4	... ...	15 4	259	... 259	
MISCELLANEOUS :						
United Kingdom	... Value only	Value only	Value only	1,657	852	2,509
New South Wales	... "	"	"	569	947	1,516
Victoria	... "	"	"	550	428	978
South Australia	... "	"	"	5	5	
Tasmania	... "	"	"	5	320	325
Norfolk Island	... "	"	"	17	7	24
New Caledonia	... "	"	"	1	10	11
Fiji Islands	... "	"	"	126	26	152
Pacific Islands	... "	"	"	810	62	872
United States of America :						
On the Atlantic	... "	"	"	75	... 75	
On the Pacific	... "	"	"	20	31	51
China	... "	"	"	5	... 5	
Mauritius	... "	"	"	440	... 440	
Totals	... Value only	Value only	Value only	4,275	2,688	6,963
NAILS AND SCREWS :		Cwt. qr.	Cwt. qr.			
United Kingdom	... ...	20	20	38	38	
Victoria	... ...	2	2	12	12	
Norfolk Island	... ...	12	12	19	19	
Fiji Islands	... ...	10	10	20	20	
Pacific Islands	... ...	23 2	23 2	31	31	
Totals	... ...	67 2	67 2	120	120	
NUTS :						
Almonds :		1 package	1 package	4	4	
Pacific Islands	... ...	1 package	1 package	... 4	4	
Other Kinds :						
United Kingdom	... ...	6 packages	6 packages	40	40	
New South Wales	... ...	6 "	6 "	8	8	
Pacific Islands	... ...	3 "	3 "	10	10	
Totals	... ...	15 packages	15 packages	58	58	
OARS :						
Fiji Islands	... 6 number	50 number	56 number	5	10	15
Pacific Islands	28 "	28 "	16	16	
Totals	... 6 number	78 number	84 number	5	26	31

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OIL:				£	£	£
<i>Cocoanut :</i>						
United Kingdom	...	5,662 gallons	5,662 gallons	725	725	
New South Wales	...	126 " "	126 " "	17	17	
Totals	...	5,788 gallons	5,788 gallons	742	742	
<i>Colza :</i>						
Victoria	...	5 gallons	5 gallons	2	2	
Pacific Islands	...	10 " "	10 " "	3	3	
Totals	...	15 gallons	15 gallons	5	5	
<i>Kerosene :</i>						
Victoria	...	3,992 gallons	3,992 gallons	293	293	
Norfolk Island	...	256 " "	256 " "	28	28	
Fiji Islands	...	600 " "	600 " "	40	40	
Pacific Islands	...	7,960 " "	7,960 " "	691	691	
United States of America :						
On the Atlantic	...	24 "	24 "	2	2	
Totals	...	12,832 gallons	12,832 gallons	1,054	1,054	
<i>Linseed :</i>						
Norfolk Island	...	135 gallons	135 gallons	32	32	
Fiji Islands	...	98 " "	98 " "	36	36	
Pacific Islands	...	472 " "	472 " "	98	98	
Totals	...	705 gallons	705 gallons	166	166	
<i>Sperm :</i>						
United Kingdom	...	16,283 gallons	16,283 gallons	4,541	4,541	
New South Wales	...	1,200 " "	1,200 " "	300	300	
Totals	...	17,483 gallons	17,483 gallons	4,841	4,841	
<i>Whale :</i>						
United Kingdom	...	23,697 gallons	23,697 gallons	5,718	5,718	
New South Wales	...	14,104 " "	14,104 " "	2,000	2,000	
Totals	...	37,801 gallons	37,801 gallons	7,718	7,718	
<i>Other Kinds :</i>						
United Kingdom	...	14,223 gallons	14,275 gallons	1,909	1,914	
Victoria	...	1,260 " "	1,260 " "	200	200	
Norfolk Island	...	4 " "	4 " "	1	1	
Totals	...	15,483 gallons	15,539 gallons	2,109	2,115	
<i>OILCLOTH :</i>						
Fiji Islands	...	1 package	1 package	6	6	
Pacific Islands	...	1 " "	1 " "	7	7	
Totals	...	2 packages	2 packages	13	13	
<i>OILMEN'S STORES :</i>						
United Kingdom	...	40 packages	40 packages	50	50	
New South Wales	...	5 " "	5 " "	114	114	
Victoria	...	47 " "	47 " "	55	55	
Norfolk Island	...	32 " "	32 " "	85	85	
Fiji Islands	...	1 " "	1 " "	2	2	
Pacific Islands	...	307 " "	307 " "	723	723	
Totals	...	432 packages	432 packages	1,029	1,029	
<i>ONIONS :</i>	Cwt. qr.		Cwt. qr.			
Queensland	60	...	60	18	18	
New South Wales	105	...	105	60	60	
New Caledonia	142	...	142	126	126	
Fiji Islands	237 2	...	237 2	185	185	
Pacific Islands	246 3	...	246 3	190	190	
Whale Fisheries	1 2	...	1 2	1	1	
Guam	102	...	102	32	32	
Totals	894 3	...	894 3	612	612	

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PAINTINGS AND ENGRAVINGS:						
United Kingdom ...	3 packages ...	8 packages ...	11 packages ...	£ 32	£ 188	£ 220
Queensland ...	1 " "	...	1 " "	2	...	2
New South Wales ...	1 " "	3 "	4 "	10	73	83
Victoria ...	5 "	3 "	8 "	261	56	317
Pacific Islands ...	...	1 "	1 "	...	11	11
United States of America: On the Pacific ...	...	1 "	1 "	...	100	100
Totals ...	10 packages ...	16 packages ...	26 packages ...	305	428	733
PAINTS AND COLOURS:		Cwt. qr.	Cwt. qr.			
United Kingdom ...	42 cwt. ...	6 1	42	102	...	102
Norfolk Island ...	...	10 2	6 1	...	20	20
Fiji Islands ...	...	81	10 2	...	21	21
Pacific Islands ...	...	81	81	...	176	176
Totals ...	42 cwt. ...	97 3	139 3	102	217	319
PAPER:						
<i>Bags:</i>						
Pacific Islands ...	...	3 packages ...	3 packages ...	...	7	7
<i>Hangings:</i>						
Norfolk Island ...	...	1 package ...	1 package ...	...	2	2
Fiji Islands ...	...	117 " "	117 " "	...	28	28
Pacific Islands ...	...	6 "	6 "	...	48	48
Totals ...	...	124 packages ...	124 packages ...	...	78	78
<i>Wrapping:</i>						
Victoria ...	7 packages ...	...	7 packages ...	57	...	57
Pacific Islands ...	...	3 packages ...	3 " "	18	18	18
Totals ...	7 packages ...	3 packages ...	10 packages ...	57	18	75
PEARL BARLEY:						
New South Wales ...	671 cwt. ...	...	671 cwt. ...	785	...	785
Victoria ...	40 "	...	40 "	58	...	58
South Australia ...	40 "	...	40 "	42	...	42
Whale Fisheries ...	1 "	...	1 "	2	...	2
Totals ...	752 cwt. ...	...	752 cwt. ...	887	...	887
PERFUMERY:						
Norfolk Island ...	...	1 package ...	1 package ...	...	1	1
Pacific Islands ...	...	21 "	21 "	...	102	102
Totals ...	...	22 packages ...	22 packages ...	...	103	103
PHORMIUM (New Zealand):	Tons cwt.		Tons cwt.			
United Kingdom ...	88 16	...	88 16	1,503	...	1,503
New South Wales ...	223 13	...	223 13	3,639	...	3,639
Victoria ...	295 4	...	295 4	5,249	...	5,249
South Australia ...	8	...	8	140	...	140
United States of America: On the Pacific ...	7 10	...	7 10	135	...	135
Totals ...	623 3	...	623 3	10,666	...	10,666
<i>Tow:</i>						
New South Wales ...	Tons cwt. 10 17	...	Tons cwt. 10 17	93	...	93
PIPES (Tobacco):						
Victoria ...	...	1 package ...	1 package ...	...	2	2
Norfolk Island ...	...	9 "	9 "	...	6	6
Pacific Islands ...	...	59 "	59 "	...	105	105
Totals ...	...	69 packages ...	69 packages ...	...	113	113
PITCH AND TAR:						
Norfolk Island	1 barrel ...	1 barrel	1	1
Pacific Islands	5 "	5 "	...	8	8
Totals	6 barrels ...	6 barrels	9	9

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PLANTS AND TREES:						
United Kingdom	46 packages	...	46 packages	£ 425	...	£ 425
New South Wales	36 "	...	36 "	99	...	99
Victoria	177 "	...	177 "	439	...	439
Tasmania	6 "	...	6 "	20	...	20
Pacific Islands	2 "	...	2 "	16	...	16
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	1 "	...	1 "	5	...	5
India—						
Madras	1 "	...	1 "	5	...	5
Totals	269 packages	...	269 packages	£ 1,009	...	£ 1,009
PLATE:						
United Kingdom	...	1 package	1 package	...	35	35
PLATEDWARE:						
United Kingdom	...	1 package	1 package	...	40	40
Pacific Islands	2 "	...	2 "	5	...	5
Totals	...	3 packages	3 packages	...	45	45
POTATOES:	Tons cwt.		Tons cwt.			
Queensland	972	...	972	4,237	...	4,237
New South Wales	7,165 2	...	7,165 2	27,520	...	27,520
Victoria	5 4	...	5 4	9	...	9
South Australia	5	...	5	15	...	15
Tasmania	186	...	186	644	...	644
Norfolk Island	2	...	2	5	...	5
New Caledonia	355	...	355	1,532	...	1,532
Fiji Islands	133 19	...	133 19	672	...	672
Pacific Islands	254 5	...	254 5	1,225	...	1,225
Whale Fisheries	36	...	36	205	...	205
Guam	228	...	228	714	...	714
United States of America:						
On the Pacific	16	...	16	82	...	82
Mauritius	12	...	12	48	...	48
Totals	9,370 10	...	9,370 10	£ 36,908	...	£ 36,908
PRINTING MATERIALS:						
New South Wales	...	133 packages	133 packages	...	76	76
Victoria	...	1 "	1 "	...	20	20
New Caledonia	...	1 "	1 "	...	2	2
Totals	...	135 packages	135 packages	...	98	98
PRINTING PAPER:						
New South Wales	...	7 packages	7 packages	...	54	54
Victoria	...	8 "	8 "	...	102	102
New Caledonia	...	5 "	5 "	...	66	66
Totals	...	20 packages	20 packages	...	222	222
PROVISIONS:						
Bacon and Hams:	Cwt. qr.		Cwt. qr.			
United Kingdom	15	...	15	45	...	45
Queensland	169	...	169	619	...	619
New South Wales	2,048 3	...	2,048 3	7,101	...	7,101
Victoria	195 2	...	195 2	619	...	619
South Australia	710	...	710	2,633	...	2,633
Tasmania	5	...	5	10	...	10
Norfolk Island	2	...	2	2	...	2
New Caledonia	14	...	14	59	...	59
Fiji Islands	99 2	...	99 2	394	...	394
Pacific Islands	89	...	89	310	...	310
Guam	46	...	46	157	...	157
Mauritius	360	...	360	1,170	...	1,170
Cape Colony	34	...	34	113	...	113
Totals	3,786 1	...	3,786 1	£ 13,232	...	£ 13,232

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PROVISIONS—continued :						
<i>Beef (Fresh) :</i>						
Victoria ...	4 cwt.	4 cwt. ...	7	...	7
Whale Fisheries ...	19 "	19 " ...	27	...	27
Totals ...	23 cwt. ...	...	23 cwt. ...	34	...	34
<i>Beef (Salted) :</i>	Cwt. qr.		Cwt. qr.			
New South Wales ...	487 2 ...	...	487 2 ...	717	...	717
Victoria ...	10 ...	...	10 ...	15	...	15
Tasmania ...	235 2 ...	...	235 2 ...	343	...	343
New Caledonia ...	456 3 ...	...	456 3 ...	676	...	676
Fiji Islands ...	624 3 ...	...	624 3 ...	936	...	936
Pacific Islands ...	922 2 ...	...	922 2 ...	1,627	...	1,627
Whale Fisheries ...	57 ...	...	57 ...	115	...	115
Totals ...	2,794 ...	...	2,794 ...	4,429	...	4,429
<i>Pork (Salted) :</i>	Cwt. qr.		Cwt. qr.			
New South Wales ...	132 ...	...	132 ...	260	...	260
Pacific Islands ...	23 2 ...	...	29 2 ...	60	20	80
Whale Fisheries ...	... ...	...	134 " ...	300	...	300
Totals ...	155 2 ...	...	140 cwt. ...	295 2 ...	320	640
<i>Preserved :</i>						
New South Wales ...	...	44 packages ...	44 packages ...	...	50	50
Victoria ...	...	159 " ...	159 " ...	...	107	107
New Caledonia ...	2 packages ...	...	2 " ...	9	...	9
Fiji Islands ...	4 " ...	...	4 " ...	7	...	7
Pacific Islands ...	54 " ...	6 ...	60 " ...	125	10	135
Mauritius ...	... ...	27 " ...	27 " ...	...	20	20
Totals ...	60 packages ...	236 packages ...	296 packages ...	141	187	328
<i>RAGS :</i>	Tons cwt. qr.	Tons cwt.	Tons cwt. qr.			
United Kingdom ...	20 0 2 ...	5 15 ...	25 15 2 ...	646	40	686
New South Wales ...	10 9 ...	5 ...	10 14 ...	112	7	119
Victoria ...	10 ...	...	10 ...	5	...	5
Totals ...	30 19 2 ...	6 ...	36 19 2 ...	763	47	810
<i>RAILWAY PLANT (Undescribed) :</i>				230,000	...	230,000
South Australia ...	... ...	...	...	230,000	...	230,000
<i>SADDLERY :</i>						
New South Wales ...	...	3 packages ...	3 packages ...	...	70	70
Norfolk Island ...	...	4 " ...	4 " ...	...	21	21
Fiji Islands ...	...	2 " ...	2 " ...	...	2	2
Pacific Islands ...	4 packages ...	6 " ...	10 " ...	38	119	157
Totals ...	4 packages ...	15 packages ...	19 packages ...	38	212	250
<i>SAGO :</i>						
Pacific Islands ...	...	112 lb. ...	112 lb. ...	...	2	2
<i>SALT :</i>		Tons cwt.	Tons cwt.			
Norfolk Island ...	...	2 14 ...	2 14 ...	...	14	14
Pacific Islands ...	...	1 18 ...	1 18 ...	...	12	12
Totals ...	...	4 12 ...	4 12 ...	...	26	26
<i>SAUCES :</i>						
New South Wales ...	10 packages ...	...	10 packages ...	24	...	24
Fiji Islands ...	4 " ...	...	4 " ...	28	...	28
Pacific Islands ...	1 " ...	...	1 " ...	2	...	2
Totals ...	15 packages ...	...	15 packages ...	54	...	54
<i>SCRIM CLOTH :</i>						
Fiji Islands	6 packages ...	6 packages	14	14
Pacific Islands	1 " ...	1 "	14	14
Totals	7 packages ...	7 packages	28	28

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				Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.	British, Foreign, and other Colonial Produce and Manufactures.	Total.
SEEDS:						
<i>Grass:</i>						
New South Wales ...	613 bushels ...	...	613 bushels ...	400	...	400
Victoria ...	9,638 " ...	...	9,638 " ...	4,577	...	4,577
Tasmania ...	61 " ...	...	61 " ...	61	...	61
Fiji Islands ...	2 " ...	2 bushels ...	4 " ...	3	10	13
Pacific Islands ...	2 " ...	...	2 " ...	1	...	1
United States of America : On the Pacific ...	70 " ...	30 " ...	100 " ...	22	14	36
Totals ...	10,386 bushels ...	32 bushels ...	10,418 bushels ...	5,064	24	5,088
<i>Other Kinds:</i>						
Norfolk Island ...	2 packages ...	...	2 packages ...	3	...	3
Pacific Islands ...	1 " ...	...	1 " ...	2	...	2
Totals ...	3 packages ...	...	3 packages ...	5	...	5
SHELLS:						
United Kingdom ...	45 packages ...	...	45 packages ...	166	...	166
Victoria ...	1 " ...	...	1 " ...	10	...	10
Totals ...	46 packages ...	...	46 packages ...	176	...	176
SHELL PEARL:						
United Kingdom ...	...	Tons cwt. qr. 16 10 ...	Tons cwt. qr. 16 10 ...	...	1,590	1,590
New South Wales ...	...	9 0 1 ...	9 0 1 ...	...	721	721
Totals ...	...	25 10 1 ...	25 10 1 ...	...	2,311	2,311
SHIP CHANDLERY:						
Norfolk Island ...	...	Tons cwt. pkg. 5 6	Tons cwt. pkg. 5 6	...	7	7
Fiji Islands ...	...	1 7 8	1 7 8	...	15	15
Pacific Islands ...	...	1 1/2	1 1/2	...	64	64
Whale Fisheries ...	...			3	3	3
Totals ...	...	1 12 1/2 14	1 12 1/2 14	...	89	89
SILKS:						
Pacific Islands ...	...	2 packages ...	2 packages ...	...	245	245
SILVER:						
United Kingdom ...	Oz. dwt. 23,018 13 ...	...	Oz. dwt. 23,018 13 ...	5,755	...	5,755
SKINS:						
<i>Rabbit:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	3,716,889 number	...	3,716,889 number	31,042	...	31,042
Victoria ...	257,520 "	...	257,520 "	2,387	...	2,387
United States of America : On the Pacific ...	2,000 "	...	2,000 "	31	...	31
Totals ...	3,976,409 number	...	3,976,409 number	33,460	...	33,460
<i>Seal:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	60 number ...	...	60 number ...	45	...	45
Victoria ...	760 " ...	...	760 " ...	1,200	...	1,200
Totals ...	820 number ...	...	820 number ...	1,245	...	1,245
<i>Sheep:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	180,965 number ...	...	180,965 number ...	15,674	...	15,674
Victoria ...	5,343 " ...	...	5,343 " ...	672	...	672
Totals ...	186,308 number ...	...	186,308 number ...	16,346	...	16,346
<i>Other Kinds:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	44 number ...	...	44 number ...	42	...	42
Victoria ...	357 " ...	...	357 " ...	32	...	32
Totals ...	401 number ...	...	401 number ...	74	...	74
SOAP:						
New South Wales ...	Cwt. qr. 1,737	Cwt. qr. 1,737 ...	1,554	...	1,554
Victoria ...	60	60 ...	45	...	45
Norfolk Island ...	34 I	34 I ...	45	...	45

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SOAP—continued.	Cwt. qr.		Cwt. qr.	£	£	£
New Caledonia ...	501 3	501 3 ...	411	...	411
Fiji Islands ...	920	920 ...	949	...	949
Pacific Islands ...	1,180 2 ...	...	1,180 2 ...	1,121	...	1,121
Mauritius ...	440 ...	...	440 ...	660	...	660
Totals ...	4,873 2 ...	...	4,873 2 ...	4,785	...	4,785
SPECIE:						
<i>Gold:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	Value only ...	Value only ...	Value only ...	...	50,022	50,022
Victoria ...	" ...	" ...	" ...	...	55,000	55,000
Chili ...	" ...	" ...	" ...	...	245	245
Totals ...	Value only ...	Value only ...	Value only ...	...	105,267	105,267
<i>Silver:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	Value only ...	...	...	...	123	123
New South Wales ...	" ...	...	...	...	400	400
Fiji Islands ...	" ...	...	...	...	500	500
Chili ...	" ...	...	...	...	3,260	3,260
Totals ...	Value only ...	...	...	...	4,283	4,283
SPECIMENS OF NATURAL HISTORY:						
<i>United Kingdom</i> ...	13 packages ...	...	13 packages ...	166	...	166
<i>New South Wales</i> ...	12 "	...	12 "	155	...	155
<i>Victoria</i> ...	3 "	...	3 "	16	...	16
<i>United States of America:</i>						
On the Atlantic ...	1 "	...	1 "	5	...	5
Totals ...	29 packages ...	...	29 packages ...	342	...	342
SPIRITS:						
<i>Brandy:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	...	15'29 gallons ...	15'29 gallons ...	...	14	14
New South Wales ...	...	13'18 "	13'18 "	...	11	11
Victoria ...	...	5'24 "	5'24 "	...	330	330
Norfolk Island ...	...	22'23 "	22'23 "	...	19	19
New Caledonia ...	...	1'31 "	1'31 "	...	2	2
Fiji Islands ...	...	21'10 "	21'10 "	...	21	21
Pacific Islands ...	...	702'4 "	702'4 "	...	439	439
Whale Fisheries ...	...	83'20 "	83'20 "	...	66	66
<i>United States of America:</i>						
On the Atlantic ...	5'28 "	...	5'28 "	...	6	6
On the Pacific ...	3'23 "	...	3'23 "	...	5	5
Peru ...	7'28 "	...	7'28 "	...	7	7
Chili ...	4 "	...	4 "	...	4	4
Totals ...	1,406 ²² ₃₂ gallons ...	...	1,406 ²² ₃₂ gallons ...	...	924	924
<i>Cordials:</i>						
Victoria ...	...	1 ¹¹ ₃₂ gallons ...	1 ¹¹ ₃₂ gallons ...	...	4	4
<i>Geneva:</i>						
United Kingdom ...	...	8'20 gallons ...	8'20 gallons ...	...	3	3
New South Wales ...	...	540'5 "	540'5 "	...	279	279
Victoria ...	...	8'8 "	8'8 "	...	3	3
Tasmania ...	...	2'24 "	2'24 "	...	1	1
Norfolk Island ...	...	19'27 "	19'27 "	...	5	5
New Caledonia ...	...	2 "	2 "	...	3	3
Fiji Islands ...	...	201'30 "	201'30 "	...	58	58
Pacific Islands ...	...	3,137'28 "	3,137'28 "	...	913	913
Whale Fisheries ...	...	10'22 "	10'22 "	...	5	5
Peru ...	...	2'25 "	2'25 "	...	2	2
Chili ...	...	2'28 "	2'28 "	...	1	1
Totals ...	3,937 ²⁵ ₃₂ gallons ...	...	3,937 ²⁵ ₃₂ gallons ...	...	1,273	1,273
<i>Gin:</i>						
Pacific Islands	55'12 gallons ...	55'12 gallons	30	30
Peru	1'24 "	1'24 "	...	1	1
Totals ...	57 ⁴ ₃₂ gallons	57 ⁴ ₃₂ gallons	31	31

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SPIRITS—continued.						
Perfumed:						
Pacific Islands	...	47 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons	47 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons	...	53	53
Rum:						
Norfolk Island	...	35·5 gallons	35·5 gallons	...	13	13
Pacific Islands	...	596·5 "	596·5 "	...	157	157
Whale Fisheries	...	27·8 "	27·8 "	...	7	7
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	...	13 "	13 "	...	4	4
On the Pacific	...	88·4 "	88·4 "	...	23	23
Totals	...	761 $\frac{1}{10}$ gallons	761 $\frac{1}{10}$ gallons	...	204	204
Whiskey:						
United Kingdom	...	44 gallons	44 gallons	...	21	21
New South Wales	...	47·1 "	47·1 "	...	20	20
Victoria	...	639·24 "	639·24 "	...	174	174
Norfolk Islands	...	3·28 "	3·28 "	...	3	3
Fiji Islands	...	8·2 "	8·2 "	...	8	8
Pacific Islands	...	233·2 "	233·2 "	...	161	161
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	...	1·31 "	1·31 "	...	2	2
Peru	...	3·28 "	3·28 "	...	3	3
Chili	...	3·20 "	3·20 "	...	2	2
Totals	...	985 $\frac{8}{32}$ gallons	985 $\frac{8}{32}$ gallons	...	394	394
Other Kinds:						
New South Wales	...	18 $\frac{1}{4}$ gallons	18 $\frac{1}{4}$ gallons	...	6	6
STARCH AND BLUE:						
Norfolk Island	...	5 packages	5 packages	...	6	6
Pacific Islands	...	6 "	6 "	...	7	7
Totals	...	11 packages	11 packages	...	13	13
SATIONERY:						
United Kingdom	...	6 packages	6 packages	...	139	139
New South Wales	...	3 packages	6 "	...	126	147
Victoria	...	6 "	9 "	...	160	246
Norfolk Island	...	5 "	5 "	...	22	22
Fiji Islands	...	7 "	7 "	...	91	91
Pacific Islands	...	15 "	15 "	...	84	84
Totals	...	6 packages	45 packages	51 packages	181	548
Playing Cards:						
Pacific Islands	...	1,738 packs	1,738 packs	...	25	25
STONE:						
Grindstones:						
Norfolk Island	...	4 number	4 number	...	2	2
Pacific Islands	...	15 "	15 "	...	4	4
Totals	...	19 number	19 number	...	6	6
SUGAR:						
Raw:		Tons cwt. qr.	Tons cwt. qr.			
United Kingdom	...	3 2 ...	3 2 ...	...	5	5
New South Wales	...	4 2 ...	4 2 ...	...	5	5
Norfolk Island	...	2 15 1 ...	2 15 1 ...	...	85	85
New Caledonia	...	6 1 ...	6 1 ...	...	9	9
Fiji Islands	...	1 2 ...	1 2 ...	...	2	2
Pacific Islands	...	17 3 ...	17 3 ...	...	550	550
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	...	2 2 ...	2 2 ...	...	4	4
Totals	...	20 16 2 ...	20 16 2 ...	...	660	660
Refined:		Tons cwt. qr.	Tons cwt. qr.			
United Kingdom	...	7 2 ...	7 2	12	12
New South Wales	...	23 15 1 ...	23 15 1	833	833
Victoria	...	2 0 1 ...	2 0 1	70	70

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SUGAR—continued.						
Refined—continued.						
Norfolk Island	...	4 10 2	4 10 2	...	159	159
New Caledonia	...	1 0 2	1 0 2	...	40	40
Fiji Islands	...	5 2	5 2	...	13	13
Pacific Islands	...	40 7 3	40 7 3	...	1,304	1,304
Whale Fisheries	...	1 7	1 7	...	92	92
Guam	...	6	6	...	11	11
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	...	5 2	5 2	...	7	7
Peru	...	2 3	2 3	...	5	5
Totals	...	74 8 2	74 8 2	...	2,546	2,546
Molasses and Treacle:						
New South Wales	...	1	1	...	21	21
Norfolk Island	...	3	3	...	6	6
Pacific Islands	...	6 2	6 2	...	11	11
Totals	...	1 9 2	1 9 2	...	38	38
TALLOW:						
United Kingdom	...	4,664 11	4,664 11	...	167,143	167,143
New South Wales	...	201 2	201 2	...	7,344	7,344
Victoria	...	153 2	153 2	...	4,008	4,008
Norfolk Island	...	2	2	...	7	7
Totals	...	5,018 17	5,018 17	...	178,502	178,502
TEA:						
United Kingdom	...	32 lb.	32 lb.	...	4	4
New South Wales	...	5,070 "	5,070 "	...	424	424
Victoria	...	23 "	23 "	...	2	2
Norfolk Island	...	556 "	556 "	...	48	48
New Caledonia	...	11 "	11 "	...	1	1
Fiji Islands	...	282 "	282 "	...	22	22
Pacific Islands	...	4,582 "	4,582 "	...	330	330
Whale Fisheries	...	78 "	78 "	...	10	10
Guam	...	88 "	88 "	...	9	9
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	...	60 "	60 "	...	4	4
Peru	...	283 "	283 "	...	28	28
Totals	...	11,065 lb.	11,065 lb.	...	882	882
TIMBER:						
Baulk:						
New South Wales	...	460,849 feet	460,849 feet	...	1,415	1,415
Victoria	...	460,129 "	460,129 "	...	1,322	1,322
South Australia	...	121,899 "	121,899 "	...	360	360
Tasmania	...	110,000 "	110,000 "	...	350	350
China	...	293,255 "	293,255 "	...	1,227	1,227
Totals	...	1,446,132 feet	1,446,132 feet	...	4,674	4,674
Firewood:						
Whale Fisheries	...	102 tons	102 tons	...	37	37
Laths and Shingles:						
Fiji Islands	...	52,000 number	52,000 number	...	22	22
Pacific Islands	...	22,000 "	22,000 "	...	32	32
Totals	...	74,000 number	74,000 number	...	54	54
Logs and Piles:						
United Kingdom	...	1 number	1 number	...	5	5
New South Wales	...	203 "	203 "	...	1,718	1,718
Victoria	...	528 "	528 "	...	3,325	3,325
Tasmania	...	25 "	25 "	...	120	120
Totals	...	847 number	847 number	...	5,168	5,168

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TIMBER—continued.						
<i>Sawn:</i>						
New South Wales	680,314 feet	...	680,314 feet	10,616	...	10,616
Victoria	628,596 "	...	628,596 "	3,718	...	3,718
South Australia	134,790 "	...	134,790 "	6,500	...	6,500
Tasmania	286,468 "	...	286,468 "	2,352	...	2,352
Norfolk Island	11,441 "	...	11,441 "	87	...	87
New Caledonia	17,142 "	...	17,142 "	113	...	113
Fiji Islands	583,931 "	...	583,931 "	3,802	...	3,802
Pacific Islands	216,304 "	...	216,304 "	1,463	...	1,463
China	66,208 "	...	66,208 "	331	...	331
Totals	2,625,194 feet	...	2,625,194 feet	28,982	...	28,982
<i>Spars:</i>						
New South Wales	2 number	...	2 number	10	...	10
Tasmania	56 "	...	56 "	200	...	200
Fiji Islands	12 "	...	12 "	40	...	40
Totals	70 number	...	70 number	250	...	250
<i>Other Kinds:</i>						
New South Wales	57 packages	...	57 packages	42	...	42
Norfolk Island	6 "	...	6 "	46	...	46
Fiji Islands	210 "	...	210 "	158	...	158
Totals	273 packages	...	273 packages	246	...	246
TINWARE:						
Pacific Islands	...	1 package	1 package	...	2	2
TOBACCO:						
United Kingdom	262 lb.	...	262 lb.	21	21	21
New South Wales	16,611 "	...	16,611 "	1,060	1,060	1,060
Victoria	4,143 "	...	4,143 "	281	281	281
Tasmania	32 "	...	32 "	4	4	4
Norfolk Island	1,239 "	...	1,239 "	105	105	105
New Caledonia	23 "	...	23 "	2	2	2
Fiji Islands	285 "	...	285 "	25	25	25
Pacific Islands	23,451 "	...	23,451 "	1,480	1,480	1,480
Whale Fisheries	759 "	...	759 "	45	45	45
Guam	818 "	...	818 "	61	61	61
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	132 "	...	132 "	11	11	11
Peru	41 "	...	41 "	3	3	3
Totals	47,796 lb.	...	47,796 lb.	3,098	3,098	3,098
CIGARS:						
New South Wales	684½ lb.	...	684½ lb.	243	243	243
Victoria	903 "	...	903 "	470	470	470
Pacific Islands	677½ "	...	677½ "	207	207	207
United States of America:						
On the Atlantic	7½ "	...	7½ "	5	5	5
Peru	7 "	...	7 "	5	5	5
Totals	2,279½ lb.	...	2,279½ lb.	930	930	930
TOOLS AND UTENSILS:						
Fiji Islands	...	1 package	1 package	...	1	1
TURPENTINE AND VARNISH:						
Norfolk Island	17 gallons	...	17 gallons	4	4	4
Fiji Islands	12 "	...	17 " "	3	3	3
Totals	29 gallons	...	29 gallons	7	7	7
TWINE:						
Pacific Islands	Cwt. qr. 2 3	...	Cwt. qr. 2 3	51	51	51
VEGETABLES:						
Victoria	...	32 packages	32 packages	29	29	29
Fiji Islands	21 packages	...	21 "	8	8	8
Totals	21 packages	...	53 packages	8	29	37

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VINEGAR:						
Victoria	100 gallons ...	100 gallons	£ 60	£ 60
Norfolk Island	28 " ...	28 "	3	3
Pacific Islands	127 " ...	127 "	30	30
Totals ...	...	255 gallons ...	255 gallons ...	...	93	93
WATHES AND CLOCKS:						
Pacific Islands ...	...	6 packages ...	6 packages ...	...	22	22
WHALEBONE:						
United Kingdom ...	Cwt. qr. 47 2 ...	... ...	Cwt. qr. 47 2 ...	371	...	371
WHITING AND CHALK:						
Norfolk Island ...	...	3 cwt. ...	3 cwt. ...	...	1	1
Fiji Islands ...	...	6 " ...	6 " ...	...	2	2
Totals ...	...	9 cwt. ...	9 cwt. ...	...	3	3
WINE:						
In Wood:						
Victoria ...	...	10½ gallons ...	10½ gallons ...	...	4	4
Norfolk Island ...	...	10 " ...	10 " ...	...	8	8
Pacific Islands ...	...	73½ " ...	73½ " ...	...	28	28
Totals ...	...	94 gallons ...	94 gallons ...	...	40	40
Bottled:						
United Kingdom ...	...	25 gallons ...	25 gallons ...	...	28	28
New South Wales ...	...	2 " ...	2 " ...	...	2	2
Victoria ...	...	774½ " ...	774½ " ...	...	529	529
Norfolk Island ...	...	10 " ...	10 " ...	...	9	9
Fiji Islands ...	...	20 " ...	20 " ...	...	10	10
Pacific Islands ...	...	646 " ...	676 " ...	...	290	290
United States of America:						
On the Pacific ...	...	12 " ...	12 " ...	...	6	6
Peru ...	...	22 " ...	22 " ...	...	16	16
Totals ...	...	1,511½ gallons ...	1,511½ gallons ...	...	890	890
Sparkling:						
Pacific Islands ...	...	16 gallons ...	16 gallons ...	...	15	15
Australian:						
Pacific Islands ...	...	15 gallons ...	15 gallons ...	...	5	5
WOODWARE:						
New South Wales ...	...	60 packages ...	60 packages ...	...	7	7
Norfolk Island ...	1 package ...	11 " ...	12 " ...	1	10	11
Fiji Islands ...	1 " ...	56 " ...	57 " ...	3	32	35
Pacific Islands ...	22 " ...	8 " ...	30 " ...	29	20	49
Totals ...	24 packages ...	135 packages ...	159 packages ...	33	69	102
WOOL:						
United Kingdom ...	59,004,615 lb. ...	...	59,004,615 lb. ...	3,276,998	...	3,276,998
New South Wales ...	8,080 " ...	...	8,080 " ...	405	...	405
Victoria ...	212,709 " ...	...	212,709 " ...	13,349	...	13,349
United States of America:						
On the Pacific ...	44,852 " ...	...	44,852 " ...	2,055	...	2,055
Totals ...	59,270,256 lb. ...	...	59,270,256 lb. ...	3,292,807	...	3,292,807
WOOLLENS:						
New South Wales ...	2 packages ...	2 packages ...	4 packages ...	60	188	248
Norfolk Island ...	...	2 " ...	2 " ...	...	23	23
Pacific Islands	11 " ...	11 "	374	374
Totals ...	2 packages ...	15 packages ...	17 packages ...	60	585	645

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WOOLLENS—continued.						
<i>Blankets:</i>						
Norfolk Island	1 package ...	1 package	3 3
Fiji Islands	3 " ...	3 "	15 15
Pacific Islands	23 " ...	23 "	436 436
Totals	27 packages ...	27 packages	454 454
ZINC:						
<i>Ingots:</i>	Tons cwt.	Tons cwt.	Tons cwt.			
United Kingdom ...	1 13 ...	16 4 ...	17 17 ...	47	270	317
China	3 ...	3	57	57
Totals ...	1 13 ...	19 4 ...	20 17 ...	47	327	374
<i>Sheet:</i>						
Victoria	Cwt. qr. ...	Cwt. qr.	20	20
Norfolk Island	2 2 ...	2 2	3	3
Pacific Islands	2 ...	2	2	2
Totals	19 2 ...	19 2	25	25
<i>Manufactures:</i>						
Fiji Islands	2 packages ...	2 packages	8	8
TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS				£5,780,508	235,192	6,015,700

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TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS TO DIFFERENT COUNTRIES.
TABLE showing the Total Value of Exports to different Countries from the several Ports of New Zealand during the Year 1878.

Countries.	Auckland.	Russell.	Mongonui.	Hokianga.	Kappara.	Poverty Bay.	Wellington.	Napier.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttleton.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	Burnt Harbour.	Clutha River Islands.	Total.	
United Kingdom ...	£ 251,762	£ ...	£ ...	£ ...	£ 2,037	£ 51,824	£ 767,851	£ 375,485	£ 1	£ ...	£ ...	£ 1,483,546	£ 19,271	£ 71,234	£ 1,385,285	£ 318,944	£ ...	£ 4,727,242		
Australia—																				
Queensland ...	... 84,286	... 4,240	... 313	... 1,044	... 5,464	... 6,860	... 320	... 2,126	... 480	... 99	... 640	... 3	... 1,3120	... 2,261	... 164,249	... 159,527	... 2,792	... 19,452	... 385
New South Wales	... 65,542	... 313	... 313	... 313	... 6,449	... 6,449	... 320	... 2,126	... 480	... 99	... 640	... 3	... 1,3120	... 2,261	... 164,249	... 159,527	... 2,792	... 19,452	... 385	
Victoria ...	... 27,532	... 27,532	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579
South Australia ...	... 787	... 787	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320	... 320
Tasmania ...	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093	... 2,093
Pacific Islands—																				
Norfolk Island ...	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006	... 3,006
New Caledonia ...	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536	... 4,536
Cook Islands ...	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820	... 11,820
Friendly Islands ...	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753	... 2,753
Society Islands ...	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579	... 2,579
Fiji Islands ...	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	... 13,101	
Solomon Islands ...	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23	... 23
New Hebrides ...	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002	... 8,002
Navigator Islands ...	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562	... 562
Malden Island ...	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594	... 1,594
Suwarrow Island ...	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922	... 922
Rotumah Island ...	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219	... 219
Gilbert Islands ...	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42	... 42
Marshall Islands ...	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345	... 345
Caroline Islands ...	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422	... 1,422
Sandwich Islands ...	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273	... 273
Savage Island ...	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377	... 1,377
Gnام ...	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95	... 95
Whale Fisheries ...	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017	... 1,017
United States of America—																				
On the Atlantic ...	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784	... 49,784
On the Pacific ...	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073	... 1,073
South America—																				
Chili ...	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516	... 3,516
Peru ...	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112	... 20,112
China ...	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558	... 1,558
Java 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4	... 4
India 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16	... 16
Mauritius 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5	... 5
Africa—																				
Cape Colony ...	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932	... 14,932
Totals 544,112	... 5,257	... 408	... 3,082	... 28,093	... 51,824	... 783,047	... 385,004	... 15,632	... 2,270	... 169,923	... 159,527	... 1,712,874	... 41,530	... 100,968	... 1,610,954	... 391,970	... 175	... 6,015,700	

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EXPORTS.—QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF ARTICLES EXPORTED.

TABLE showing the Quantities and Values of Articles Exported from the several Ports of New Zealand during the Year 1878—*continued.*

Articles.	Napier.		Nelson.		Westport.		Grey-mouth.		Hokitika.		Lyttelton.		Articles.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
Ale and Beer	...	gallons	...	...	£	...	£	...	£	...	£	...	£ 15
Biscuits	...	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Ale and Beer.
Bran and Sharps	...	tons	...	...	149	690	84	325	471	...	...	...	Biscuits.
Butter	...	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,990	2,905	...	...	Bran and Sharps.
Cheese	...	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,653	7,653	...	...	Butter.
Coals	tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,990	7,990	...	...	Cheese.
Cordage	...	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Coals.
Curiosities	...	packages	...	...	1	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cordage.
Flour	...	tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Curiosities.
Fungus	...	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Flour.
Gold	ounces	...	...	2,390	9,541	1	3	40,491	161,959	...	...	Fungus.
Grain (Barley)	...	bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gold.
" (Malt)	...	bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Grain (Barley).
" (Oats)	...	bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(Malt).
" (Wheat)	...	bushels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(Oats).
Gum (Kauri)	...	tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(Wheat).
Hides	number	137	99	432	375	1,089	2,194	2,122	2,137	904	904	Hides.
Leather	...	cwt.	8	20	...	...	...	...	265	47	94	94	Leather.
Live Stock (Sheep)	...	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Live Stock (Sheep).
Meal (Oat)	...	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Meal (Oat).
Meats (Preserved)	...	cwt.	4½	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Meats (Preserved).
Minerals	...	tons	...	...	...	3	80	...	...	...	...	...	Minerals.
Miscellaneous	...	value	...	...	3,324	...	26	141	...	114	...	...	Miscellaneous.
Oil (Sperm)	...	gallons	...	...	...	42	679	6	17	...	...	...	Oil (Sperm).
Phormium	...	tons	...	...	165	183	415	...	...	...	...	...	Phormium.
Plants	...	packages	...	...	16	442	1,806	...	...	...	...	...	Plants.
Potatoes	...	tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Potatoes.
Provisions, Bacon and Hams	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Provisions, Bacon and Hams.
" Beef (Salted)	...	bushts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	" Beef (Salted).
Seeds (Grass)	...	ounces	...	...	1,110	640	...	...	...	...	...	...	Seeds (Grass).
Silver	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Silver.
Skins (Rabbit)	...	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Skins (Rabbit).
" (Seal)	...	number	8,134	50	1,343	5	2,307	350	1,456	208	...	...	(Seal).
" (Sheep)	...	cwt.	...	...	16,736	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(Sheep).
Soap	tons	395½	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Soap.
Tallow	...	feet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Tallow.
Timber (Sawn)	feet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Timber (Sawn).
" (Hewn and Balk)	...	feet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(Hewn and Balk).
" (Logs)	number	7,984,455	363,175	11,483	680	2,940	131	20,560	937	3,704	15,880,847	" (Logs).
" (Spars)	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(Spars).
Wool	lb.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	910,668	Wool.
Total New Zealand Produce	384,954	...	14,937	...	2,220	...	169,828	...	1,639,363
Other Colonial, British, and Foreign Manufactures	50	...	695	...	50	...	95	267	82,511
Totals	385,004	...	15,632	...	2,270	...	169,923	...	1,712,874

TABLE showing the Quantities and Values of Articles Exported from the several Ports of New Zealand during the Year 1878—*continued.*

Articles.	Timaru.			Oamaru.			Dunedin.			Invercargill and Bluff Harbour.			Chatham Islands.			Totals.		
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Ale and Beer	gallons	...	...	...	£	...	...	£	...	...	£	...	...	£	189	
Biscuits	cwt.	...	...	64	...	133 $\frac{3}{4}$	521	...	456 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,240	...	...	...	...	5,967	
Bran and Sharps	tons	14	50	...	...	...	...	...	40 $\frac{1}{2}$	99	...	...	...	...	4,051 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Butter	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	148 $\frac{1}{4}$	453	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,079 $\frac{1}{4}$	
Cheese	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,106	
Coals	tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,111	
Cordage	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,368	
Curiosities	packages	1	50	...	...	...	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,362	
Flour	cwt.	...	...	...	...	7,150	641	7,683	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,139	
Fungus	115,627	464,265	...	...	...	...	...	...	903	
Gold	ounces	...	...	...	...	...	11,686	2,335	3,672	770	...	...	...	...	...
Grain (Barley)	bushels	...	...	...	...	...	3,577	1,110	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (Malt)	bushels	...	...	...	...	57,758	11,191	13,501	91,994	17,152	...	...	...	...	...
" (Oats)	bushels	...	...	...	...	128,865	31,014	339,913	82,725	9,450	2,319	...	...	...	...
" (Wheat)	bushels	167,341	49,066	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gum (Kauri)	tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hides	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	123	75	...	...	...	...	...	...
Leather	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Live Stock (Sheep)	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Meal (Oat)	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	5,311	6,058	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Meats (Preserved)	cwt.	2	3	...	...	1,3,659 $\frac{1}{2}$	35,344	4,062	10,224	...	...	...	...	...	...
Minerals	tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous	value	...	...	2	...	...	2,312	...	3,694	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oil (Sperm)	gallons	...	...	...	...	15,692	4,441	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Phormium	tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 $\frac{3}{4}$	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Plants	packages	...	...	...	...	18	130	10	32	...	...	...	...	...	...
Potatoes	tons	79	286	...	...	286	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Provisions, Bacon and Hams	cwt.	1	4	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	...	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	57	3	9	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Beef (Salted)	cwt.	...	...	184	243	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Seds (Grass)	120	45	...	240	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver	ounces	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Skins (Rabbit)	number	...	...	...	...	131,728	1,176	3,654,033	30,179	...	...	...	...	...	...
(Seal)	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	820	1,245	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (Sheep)	number	...	...	...	...	38,202	808	8,638	969	...	...	...	...	...	...
Soap	cwt.	...	...	...	...	1,797	1,599	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tallow	tons	...	...	...	...	789 $\frac{3}{4}$	26,135	115	3,721	...	...	...	...	...	...
Timber (Sawn)	feet	...	...	...	...	242,147	1,026	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (Hewn and Balk)	feet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (Logs)	number	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (Spars)	number	2,097	96	899,986	50,800	16,410,001	902,280	4,947,853	277,254	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wool	lb.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total New Zealand Produce	41,449	...	100,968	1,556,035	...	391,605	175	5,789,568
Other Colonial, British, and Foreign Manufactures	41,580	...	100,968	63,919	...	365	235,192
Totals	6,015,700

TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

TABLE showing the Total Value of the Exports of New Zealand during each Year from 1869 to 1878, inclusive.

	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.
Provincial District of Auckland :										
United Kingdom ...	£ 533,425	£ 517,308	£ 666,394	£ 217,164	£ 362,931	£ 264,748	£ 375,528	£ 405,632	£ 556,584	£ 305,623.
British Colonies and Possessions	173,976	280,070	826,123	356,570	339,316	306,189	196,239	230,631	171,483	200,417
Foreign States ...	44,309	95,494	125,774	182,285	150,278	103,125	140,987	127,532	95,092	126,736.
Totals... ... £	751,710	892,872	1,618,291	756,019	852,525	674,062	712,754	763,795	823,159	632,776.
Provincial District of Taranaki :										
United Kingdom ...	...	...	...	...	689	216	...	...	...	...
British Colonies and Possessions	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,114	428	238	...
Foreign States ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals... ... £	...	...	...	689	216	...	2,114	428	238	...
Provincial District of Hawke's Bay :										
United Kingdom ...	47,148	103,519	79,680	243,040	201,644	146,568	363,188	173,732	339,559	375,485
British Colonies and Possessions	644	275	241	7	2,824	1,100	42	3,774	3,457	7,464
Foreign States ...	...	24	...	11	4,966	800	...	20	1,982	2,055
Totals... ... £	47,792	103,818	79,921	243,064	209,434	148,468	363,230	177,526	344,998	385,004
Provincial District of Wellington :										
United Kingdom ...	167,523	278,237	253,894	325,978	493,667	518,111	490,622	685,765	968,566	767,852
British Colonies and Possessions	26,536	20,885	10,079	27,975	4,947	9,925	183,130	10,252	59,038	15,083
Foreign States ...	220	4	913	2,894	1,950	84	...	672	6,225	112.
Totals... ... £	194,279	299,126	264,886	356,847	500,564	528,120	673,752	696,689	1,033,829	783,047
Provincial District of Marlborough :										
United Kingdom ...	50,652	45,125	53,309	80,088	69,316	74,980	39,983	3	...	...
British Colonies and Possessions	2,560	16,282	4,396	6,720	3,845	3,896	2,766	...	...	...
Foreign States ...	340	180	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals... ... £	53,552	61,587	57,705	86,808	73,161	78,876	42,749	3	...	...
Provincial District of Nelson :										
United Kingdom ...	13,454	15,724	24,135	10,433	24,849	47,866	62,945	...	2	2.
British Colonies and Possessions	391,392	354,035	234,783	194,409	198,670	148,366	112,289	24,154	28,410	17,900.
Foreign States ...	62	8	1	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
Totals... ... £	404,908	369,759	258,926	204,843	223,519	196,232	175,234	24,154	28,417	17,902
Provincial District of Westland :										
United Kingdom ...	143,494	3,121	22,388	44,508	...	34,912	48,598	...	...	...
British Colonies and Possessions	800,788	834,787	731,899	522,437	628,835	473,158	499,663	273,921	229,776	329,450.
Foreign States ...	...	...	85	...	...	4,588	11,582	9,588	7,636	...
Totals... ... £	944,282	837,908	754,372	566,945	628,835	512,658	559,843	283,509	237,412	329,450-
Provincial District of Canterbury :										
United Kingdom ...	381,097	617,597	580,985	715,253	803,818	1,011,804	1,131,797	1,629,382	1,698,586	1,502,817
British Colonies and Possessions	110,339	116,628	114,852	98,380	49,184	96,069	99,575	162,355	178,873	231,592-
Foreign States ...	6,892	16,124	16,808	44,792	99,093	658	16,030	10,017	1,505	20,045
Totals... ... £	498,328	800,349	712,645	858,425	952,095	1,108,531	1,238,402	1,801,754	1,878,964	1,754,454
Provincial District of Otago :										
United Kingdom ...	798,440	998,285	1,087,046	1,623,116	1,746,191	1,670,185	1,715,099	1,638,875	1,758,202	1,775,463
British Colonies and Possessions	523,920	546,609	442,016	336,577	339,482	301,702	331,031	268,158	206,268	325,338-
Foreign States ...	7,530	2,321	6,276	157,332	84,349	32,435	13,819	18,574	15,985	12,091
Totals... ... £	1,329,890	1,457,215	1,535,338	2,117,025	2,170,022	2,004,322	2,060,549	1,925,607	1,980,455	2,112,892
Chatham Islands :										
United Kingdom ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British Colonies and Possessions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	175.
Foreign States ...	119	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals... ... £	119	122	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	175.
General Totals :										
United Kingdom ...	2,135,233	2,488,916	2,767,831	3,259,586	3,702,416	3,769,174	4,227,760	4,533,389	5,321,499	4,727,242
British Colonies and Possessions	2,030,155	2,219,571	2,364,389	1,543,764	1,567,319	1,340,405	1,418,449	973,673	877,543	1,127,419-
Foreign States ...	59,472	114,269	149,804	387,315	340,636	141,690	182,418	166,403	128,430	161,039
Totals... ... £	£ 4,224,860	4,822,756	5,282,084	5,190,665	5,610,371	5,251,269	5,828,627	5,673,465	6,327,472	6,015,700-

NOTE.—The above decennial table, although a correct return of the value of exports from the different districts, does not show the actual value of the quantities of produce of each district respectively. Considerable quantities of wool and gold are often forwarded coastwise to other ports, from which they were finally cleared for shipment beyond seas.

GOLD EXPORTED, 1858 TO 1878.

SUMMARY of the Quantity and Value of Gold Entered for Duty for Exportation from New Zealand from 1st April, 1857, to 31st December, 1878.

Produce of the Gold Fields in the	Entered for Duty at the Port of	During the Year ended 31st December, 1878.		Entered for Exportation to 31st December, 1877.		Total Entered for Exportation from New Zealand to 31st December, 1878.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
District of Auckland	...	Auckland	...	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
" Wellington	...	Wellington	...	55,982	220,454	1,155,221	4,193,166
" Marlborough	...	Picton	...	...	...	30	120
" Nelson	...	Nelson	...	404	1,617	45,557	176,653
"		Nelson	...	...	4,463	17,223	1,615,131
" West Coast	...	Westport	...	1,587	6,302	6,302	6,302
		Greymouth	...	15,179	60,758	60,758	60,758
		Hokitika	...	67,069	208,276	208,276	208,276
		Dunedin	...	69,767	243,912	243,912	243,912
				32	120		
				144,634	578,508	2,135,710	8,450,095
" Otago	...	Invercargill	...	94,118	378,507	14,531,098	3,802,350
				10,885	4,370		
				105,003	422,277	3,697,347	14,953,375
		Totals	310,486	1,240,079	8,648,996	33,765,194
						8,959,482	35,005,273

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QUANTITIES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES (THE PRODUCE OF THE COLONY) EXPORTED.—DECENNIAL TABLE.

* Of this number 3,654,033 were from Invercargill and Bluff.

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES (THE PRODUCE OF THE COLONY) EXPORTED.—DECENNIAL TABLE.

Articles.	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.
Wool	1,371,230	1,703,944	1,606,144	2,379,199	2,742,471	2,834,695	3,398,155	3,395,816	3,658,938	3,293,807
Tallow	1,3935	75,533	67,208	68,788	67,118	65,366	55,865	109,896	156,552	178,302
Hides	8,021	12,942	10,964	31,763	34,544	44,162	30,818	19,408	18,486	9,571
Sheepskins	6,491	16,459	12,726	18,245	14,387	16,165	36,629	19,735	27,361	16,239
Leather	3,800	6,062	10,205	10,219	26,911	20,932	15,971	16,507	24,294	18,344
Rabbitskins	...	...	...	...	1,263	1,878	3,913	4,418	8,630	3,3460
Gold	...	...	...	2,341,592	2,163,910	2,788,368	1,987,425	1,505,331	1,407,770	1,268,599
Silver	...	...	...	2,993	11,380	23,145	9,910	10,380	7,569	3,171
Coal	...	...	...	800	1,508	1,612	855	1,363	3,129	1,954
Flour	...	...	...	5,856	7,564	12,095	7,554	7,700	7,949	14,315
Bran and Sharps	...	...	...	3,558	3,961	3,287	1,673	263	585	12,583
Wheat	...	...	...	19,616	71,851	111,219	128,169	236,354	115,093	9,267
Barley	...	...	...	22,970	21,525	23,784	2,464	112	22,635	153,167
Malt	...	...	...	1,191	3,564	1,188	1,188	1,331	2,510	42,546
Oats	...	...	...	52,664	44,195	73,138	64,015	7,347	30,783	1,937
Oatmeal	...	...	...	3,670	2,981	3,243	2,902	2,006	3,628	141,082
Potatoes	...	...	...	8,613	4,590	1,310	827	2,351	1,024	2,281
Butter	...	...	...	14,679	12,995	12,426	4,462	2,342	1,168	660
Cheese	...	...	...	8,040	9,327	4,023	4,379	6,025	4,408	3,910
Bacon and Hams	...	...	...	426	943	723	1,665	10,533	1,815	1,862
Salt Beef and Pork	...	...	...	452	970	2,475	7,699	2,495	1,620	2,792
Preserved Meats	...	...	...	912	47	2,064	161,840	154,026	100,245	7,171
Kauri Gum	...	...	...	...	...	175,074	167,958	154,167	85,816	138,523
Phormium (New Zealand Hemp)	...	...	...	...	90,611	99,405	143,799	37,690	79,986	109,234
Cortage	...	...	...	...	672	2,878	2,718	4,001	1,667	11,742
Timber (Sawn and Hewn)	...	...	...	513	11,137	14,200	19,431	27,464	33,818	1,261
" (Logs)	...	...	...	14,849	6,168	5,602	6,123	14,910	9,979	26,914
" (Spars)	...	...	...	6,775	411	312	947	1,323	545	36,444
" (Laths, Palings, Posts, and Shingles)	...	...	...	1,321	186	165	217	342	108	13,171
Whalebone	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	118,348
Sealskins	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,666
Whale Oil (Black)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	806
" (Sperm)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	903
				3,38	252	760	1,847	1,226	4,050	33,656
				134	1,011	1,864	841	1,930	2,100	5,168
				536	4,109	8,257	2,057	2,110	4,894	5,041
				3,438	6,700	6,32	4,495	4,932	6,495	4,932
				1,676	1,676	11,725	3,129	3,129	3,129	5,041

QUANTITY AND VALUE OF FLOUR AND GRAIN, ETC., EXPORTED FROM EACH PROVINCIAL DISTRICT.—DECENNIAL TABLE.

QUANTITY AND VALUE OF FLOUR AND GRAIN, ETC., EXPORTED FROM EACH PROVINCIAL DISTRICT.—CONTINUED.

QUANTITY AND VALUE OF WOOL EXPORTED.—DECENNIAL TABLE.

Year.	Auckland,		Taranaki,		Hawke's Bay,		Wellington,		Marlborough,		Nelson,		Westland,		Canterbury,		* Otago,		Total.				
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
1869	1,015,566	61,510	1b.	lb.	1b.	£	1b.	£	1b.	£	1b.	£	1b.	£	1b.	£	1b.	£	1b.	£	27,765,636	1,371,230	
1870	1,338,443	74,054	...	...	2,939,214	102,452	4,960,354	239,318	1,381,799	53,188	354,126	12,690	40,277	1,711	1,248,572	730,593	37,039,763	1,703,944	...	...	18,323	...
1871	1,216,279	68,778	1,654,953	79,592	4,302,132	268,917	1,605,074	48,967	291,514	13,142	2,623,0	2,603	1,274,414	1,418	495,843	159,152	689,188	37,793,734	1,606,144
1872	913,659	64,008	3,618,316	242,440	4,552,310	324,822	1,611,424	73,225	356,021	20,661	40,760	2,751	1,174,444	333	663,990	19,050,174	1,166,922	41,886,997	2,537,919
1873	1,324,109	86,850	3,079,870	205,426	5,896,653	422,744	1,449,988	63,995	80,523	4,887	63,990	4,427	1,187,971	1,11	727,259	17,784,21	1,186,883	41,535,185	2,762,471
1874	1,612,976	99,695	2,379,477	142,739	7,360,819	472,139	1,501,184	71,327	472,139	26,794	31,852	2,389	14,237,766	815,127	19,252,522	46,848,735	2,834,695
1875	1,543,925	94,290	25,944	1,644	6,166,721	350,486	7,736,315	465,052	766,149	37,389	122,519	7,926	118,994	5,793	151,050	697	1,044,404	22,861,276	14,31,471	54,401,540	3,398,155
1876	2,979,938	175,986	1,136	68	2,911,130	169,195	19,770,437	624,227	...	...	5,261	3,974	119,413	6,981	20,305,217	1,099,736	22,710,822	1,317,449	59,853,454	3,395,816	...	...
1877	3,111,251	177,100	...	...	5,480,445	33,355	13,946,610	754,971	...	...	15,363	1,359	107,113	5,472	17,101,431	981,874	24,719,111	1,444,807	64,481,324	3,658,938	...	...
1878	2,377,313	135,492	...	...	7,084,455	363,175	11,561,513	648,190	...	...	14,423	811	91,768	4,641	15,882,944	910,164	22,257,840	1,239,334	59,270,256	3,292,807	...	...

NOTE.—The above is a correct return of the wool cleared at the ports of the several provincial districts, but it does not accurately show the actual quantity produced in each provincial district respectively, considerable quantities having been forwarded coastwise to other ports of the colony, from which they were finally cleared for shipment beyond seas.

VALUE OF TIMBER EXPORTED.—DECENNIAL TABLE

Year.	Auckland,		Taranaki,		Hawke's Bay.		Wellington.		Marlborough.		Nelson.		Westland.		Canterbury.		Otago.		* Total Value, Spars, Palinges, Shingles, and other Timber.		
	Sawn Timber.	Logs, Spars, Palinges, Shingles, and other Timber.	Sawn Timber.	Logs, Spars, Palinges, Shingles, and other Timber.	Sawn Timber.	Logs, Spars, Palinges, Shingles, and other Timber.	Sawn Timber.	Logs, Spars, Palinges, Shingles, and other Timber.	Sawn Timber.	Logs, Spars, Palinges, Shingles, and other Timber.	Sawn Timber.	Logs, Spars, Palinges, Shingles, and other Timber.	Sawn Timber.	Logs, Spars, Palinges, Shingles, and other Timber.	Sawn Timber.	Logs, Spars, Palinges, Shingles, and other Timber.	Sawn Timber.	Logs, Spars, Palinges, Shingles, and other Timber.	Sawn Timber.	Logs, Spars, Palinges, Shingles, and other Timber.	
1869	13,676	6,911	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22,337	...
1870	10,100	7,166	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,323	...
1871	13,528	5,914	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,114	...
1872	16,327	7,552	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27,373	...
1873	16,598	17,992	...	...	2,607	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44,939	...
1874	28,963	10,005	...	...	1,900	...	...	...	137	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	44,450	...
1875	15,342	23,705	27	5	...	...	...	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49,946	...
1876	30,083	16,121	300	...	585	...	...	...	70	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49,847	...
1877	25,060	24,662	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	59,901	...
1878	29,620	8,318	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39,074	...

VALUE OF IMPORTS FROM AND EXPORTS TO DIFFERENT COUNTRIES.—DECENNIAL TABLE.

Year.	Totals, all Countries.	IMPORTS FROM								EXPORTS TO—			
		United Kingdom.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	Western Australia.	Mauritius.	Hong Kong.	Other British Possessions.	United States.	Other Foreign Ports.	Islands in the Pacific and Southern Whale Fisher.*
1869	4,976,126	2,458,579	495,314	1,507,012	\$	2,420	43,781	\$	166,913	2,535	\$	91,351	76,952
1870	4,639,015	2,685,736	346,369	1,234,689	14,843	22,184	36,641	360	88,513	13,302	2,971	30,576	102,334
1871	4,078,103	1,888,636	38,608	1,443,449	...	84,919	53,938	2,000	99,988	41,916	245	59,345	32,838
1872	5,142,951	2,685,160	394,252	1,596,583	...	41,390	63,983	1,300	159,442	14,762	4,340	90,657	54,883
1873	6,464,687	3,781,130	455,020	1,603,232	...	52,493	83,504	4,600	198,614	18,141	2,698	143,273	60,055
1874	8,121,812	5,481,036	427,117	1,502,792	...	26,193	112,724	7,800	206,051	8,262	31,783	191,539	70,701
1875	8,029,172	5,103,610	549,141	1,578,070	10,934	50,871	148,843	18,129	108,205	7,732	12,933	213,492	66,827
1876	6,905,171	4,451,269	616,601	1,169,734	19,130	38,514	103,783	3,828	155,740	8,571	28,249	193,287	73,819
1877	6,973,418	4,115,544	675,056	1,433,865	3,188	70,811	100,384	4,949	162,699	56,015	41,641	269,656	2,205
1878	8,755,663	5,333,170	789,739	1,443,702	1,345	48,577	110,450	50	207,210	165,453	131,855	432,572	42,894

* The imports and exports for Norfolk Island and the Fijis, although these islands are now British possessions, have been included in the figures in this column. For amounts see the last preceding table.

POSTAL AND ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

POSTAL.—LETTERS RECEIVED IN 1878.

TABLE showing the Number of Letters received for delivery in New Zealand during the Year ended 31st December, 1878.

Postal Districts.	From Places without the Colony.				From Places within the Colony.			Totals without and within the Colony.
	United Kingdom.	Australian Colonies.	Other Places.	Totals without the Colony.	Other Districts in New Zealand.	Places within the District.	Totals within the Colony.	
Auckland	77,876	50,649	13,168	141,693	248,274	729,905	978,179	1,119,872
Thames	4,768	...	524	5,292	86,781	27,979	114,760	120,052
Taranaki	7,011	4,858	297	12,166	53,229	88,158	141,387	153,553
Hawke's Bay	21,446	2,928	1,266	25,640	126,626	229,430	356,056	381,696
Wellington	66,171	50,757	4,592	121,520	603,367	664,462	1,267,829	1,389,349
Nelson	14,178	9,503	163	23,844	112,782	96,021	208,803	232,647
Westport	2,698	2,697	...	5,395	34,954	33,307	68,261	73,656
Marlborough	5,810	1,881	76	7,767	76,810	114,148	190,958	198,725
Canterbury	116,764	51,065	5,620	173,449	387,240	1,350,416	1,737,656	1,911,105
Hokitika	5,766	13,510	...	19,276	63,147	75,384	138,531	157,807
Greymouth	5,888	12,107	...	17,995	79,000	119,346	198,346	216,341
Otago	101,684	80,069	20,336	202,089	470,107	1,286,122	1,756,229	1,958,318
Southland	15,643	16,747	6,567	38,957	95,799	188,185	283,984	322,941
Totals	445,703	296,771	52,609	795,083	2,438,116	5,002,863	7,440,979	8,236,062

LETTERS DESPATCHED IN 1878.

TABLE showing the Number of Letters despatched by New Zealand during the Year ended 31st December, 1878.

Postal Districts.	To Places without the Colony.				To Places within the Colony.			Totals without and within the Colony.
	United Kingdom	Australian Colonies.	Other Places.	Totals without the Colony.	Other Districts in New Zealand.	Places within the District.	Totals within the Colony.	
Auckland	71,996	50,712	13,212	135,920	282,295	600,664	882,959	1,018,879
Thames	5,297	...	596	5,893	74,462	8,177	82,639	88,532
Taranaki	5,314	...	281	5,595	46,360	72,156	118,516	124,111
Hawke's Bay	17,929	...	799	18,728	114,569	233,883	348,452	367,180
Wellington	73,953	59,136	4,687	137,776	599,139	553,820	1,152,959	1,290,735
Nelson	10,770	8,099	1,057	19,926	113,959	91,621	205,580	225,506
Westport	2,352	1,525	168	4,045	28,686	41,148	69,834	73,879
Marlborough	4,513	...	210	4,723	50,625	118,524	169,149	173,872
Canterbury	106,159	51,619	5,737	163,515	344,881	1,166,069	1,510,950	1,674,465
Hokitika	2,959	8,600	220	11,779	64,109	67,195	131,304	143,083
Greymouth	6,930	7,924	...	14,854	76,577	86,118	162,695	177,549
Otago	102,712	67,648	14,967	185,327	408,549	983,755	1,392,304	1,577,631
Southland	16,514	19,248	1,148	36,910	137,532	178,835	316,367	353,277
Totals	427,398	274,511	43,082	744,991	2,341,743	4,201,965	6,543,708	7,288,699

POSTAL.—NEWSPAPERS RECEIVED IN 1878.

TABLE showing the Number of Newspapers received for delivery in New Zealand during the Year ended 31st December, 1878.

Postal Districts.	From Places without the Colony.				From Places within the Colony.			Totals without and within the Colony.
	United Kingdom.	Australian Colonies.	Other Places.	Totals without the Colony.	Other Districts in New Zealand.	Places within the District.	Totals within the Colony.	
Auckland	203,408	52,344	16,905	272,657	144,762	484,195	628,957	901,614
Thames	14,080	...	1,042	15,122	44,912	7,743	52,655	67,777
Taranaki	22,405	2,634	3,695	28,734	37,035	40,213	77,248	105,982
Hawke's Bay	70,873	24,003	2,336	97,212	104,975	33,526	138,501	235,713
Wellington	174,499	66,327	9,657	250,483	296,440	202,803	499,243	749,726
Nelson	46,397	12,607	632	59,636	56,398	21,976	78,374	138,010
Westport	8,600	6,600	...	15,200	37,804	20,974	58,778	73,978
Marlborough	17,699	5,299	806	23,804	60,559	29,097	89,656	113,460
Canterbury	235,833	72,966	8,479	317,278	267,553	365,162	632,715	949,993
Hokitika	22,987	30,591	...	53,578	69,486	51,383	120,869	174,447
Greymouth	18,543	23,183	...	41,726	74,567	88,594	163,161	204,887
Otago	392,752	104,155	13,124	510,031	267,264	404,745	672,009	1,182,040
Southland	39,403	21,397	9,419	70,219	93,694	36,367	130,061	200,280
Totals ...	1,267,479	422,106	66,095	1,755,680	1,555,449	1,786,778	3,342,227	5,097,907

NEWSPAPERS DESPATCHED IN 1878.

TABLE showing the Number of Newspapers despatched by New Zealand during the Year ended 31st December, 1878.

Postal Districts.	To Places without the Colony.				To Places within the Colony.			Totals without and within the Colony.
	United Kingdom.	Australian Colonies.	Other Places.	Totals without the Colony.	Other Districts in New Zealand.	Places within the District.	Totals within the Colony.	
Auckland	51,407	33,804	13,913	99,124	162,050	125,711	287,761	386,835
Thames	4,774	...	534	5,308	43,778	560	44,338	49,646
Taranaki	4,928	...	117	5,045	30,372	24,941	55,313	60,358
Hawke's Bay	16,719	...	495	17,214	74,015	201,220	275,235	292,449
Wellington	53,090	33,228	3,993	90,311	365,062	308,624	673,686	763,997
Nelson	10,166	2,831	659	13,656	61,347	52,976	114,323	127,979
Westport	2,224	842	182	3,248	19,188	42,410	61,598	64,846
Marlborough	4,065	...	181	4,246	16,696	107,192	123,883	128,134
Canterbury	65,803	23,749	3,753	93,305	189,885	379,787	569,672	662,977
Hokitika	4,701	3,357	229	8,287	50,474	69,054	119,528	127,815
Greymouth	6,550	6,193	...	12,743	70,286	33,609	103,895	116,638
Otago	95,628	53,194	11,549	160,371	368,197	709,315	1,077,512	1,237,883
Southland	11,867	7,576	484	19,927	124,849	148,076	272,925	292,852
Totals ...	331,922	164,774	36,089	532,785	1,576,199	2,203,475	3,779,674	4,312,459

POSTAL.—POST CARDS AND BOOK PACKETS RECEIVED.

TABLE showing the Number of Post Cards Posted, and the Number of Book Packets received for delivery in New Zealand, during the Year ended 31st December, 1878.

Postal Districts.	Post Cards within the Colony.	Book Packets.							Totals without and within the Colony.	
		From Places without the Colony.				From Places within the Colony.				
		United Kingdom.	Australian Colonies.	Other Places.	Totals without the Colony.	Other Districts in New Zealand.	Places within the District.	Totals within the Colony.		
Auckland	16,927	29,219	5,570	3,109	37,898	14,328	34,373	48,701	86,599	
Thames	3,688	827	...	54	881	4,605	500	5,105	5,986	
Taranaki	1,883	2,182	581	322	3,085	4,716	1,775	6,491	9,576	
Hawke's Bay	4,981	6,132	1,759	280	8,171	11,122	3,579	14,701	22,872	
Wellington	16,076	17,470	5,847	1,547	24,864	36,999	25,393	62,392	87,256	
Nelson	3,377	9,063	1,721	157	10,941	7,178	2,408	9,586	20,527	
Westport	603	495	496	...	991	2,903	846	3,749	4,740	
Marlborough	927	1,361	445	8	1,814	5,784	2,899	8,683	10,497	
Canterbury	36,152	23,724	6,498	1,020	31,242	32,710	42,510	75,220	106,462	
Hokitika	2,959	2,323	1,480	...	3,803	3,970	1,190	5,160	8,963	
Greymouth	3,590	871	1,559	...	2,430	6,232	3,506	9,738	12,168	
Otago	17,200	27,765	9,120	369	37,254	31,811	41,568	73,379	110,633	
Southland	8,311	5,352	2,582	752	8,686	7,477	2,852	10,329	19,015	
Totals	116,674	126,784	37,658	7,618	172,060	169,835	163,399	333,234	505,294	

POST CARDS AND BOOK PACKETS DESPATCHED.

TABLE showing the Number of Post Cards and Book Packets despatched by New Zealand during the Year ended 31st December, 1878.

Postal Districts.	Post Cards within the Colony.	Book Packets.							Totals without and within the Colony.	
		To Places without the Colony.				To Places within the Colony.				
		United Kingdom.	Australian Colonies.	Other Places.	Totals without the Colony.	Other Districts in New Zealand.	Places within the District.	Totals within the Colony.		
Auckland	12,791	2,786	2,518	978	6,282	19,623	13,703	33,326	39,688	
Thames	946	106	...	14	120	1,221	36	1,257	1,377	
Taranaki	1,679	164	...	15	179	1,225	631	1,856	2,035	
Hawke's Bay	4,860	639	...	33	672	4,192	20,948	25,140	25,812	
Wellington	18,077	4,591	2,465	517	7,573	64,055	35,984	100,039	107,612	
Nelson	2,592	382	202	21	605	5,801	4,401	10,202	10,807	
Westport	1,148	48	18	2	68	1,257	2,548	3,805	3,873	
Marlborough	1,363	113	...	3	116	2,071	9,018	11,089	11,205	
Canterbury	60,679	4,209	2,471	318	6,998	18,288	63,846	82,134	89,132	
Hokitika	1,537	114	122	6	242	2,759	2,991	5,750	5,992	
Greymouth	1,160	95	135	...	230	5,491	1,732	7,223	7,453	
Otago	26,318	2,604	1,664	686	4,954	33,853	45,566	79,419	84,373	
Southland	4,359	307	317	20	644	11,941	11,991	23,932	24,576	
Totals	137,509	16,158	9,912	2,613	28,683	171,777	213,395	385,172	413,855	

NOTE.—The difference between the number of post cards posted, and the number despatched, is represented by the number posted for local delivery—i.e., those delivered from offices at which posted.

POSTAGE.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

TABLE showing the Postal Revenue and Number of Letters and Newspapers received at and despatched from the several Postal Districts, from 1869 to 1878, both Years inclusive.

Postal Districts.	Revenue.	Letters.		Post Cards.		Books.		Newspapers.	
		Received.	Despatched.	Rec'd.	Despatched.	Received.	Despatched.	Received.	Despatched.
Auckland—	£ s. d.								
	1869 ...	10,814 0 5	578,471	495,315	...	...	...	396,232	166,928
	1870 ...	10,264 15 3	653,700	619,466	...	...	...	436,809	262,471
	1871 ...	12,549 7 9	692,462	603,928	...	...	...	515,532	227,121
	1872 ...	10,950 12 11	627,212	584,915	...	...	...	524,094	243,543
	1873*	11,108 4 2	691,154	626,188	...	...	...	575,954	259,285
	1874 ...	12,523 2 4	740,502	786,279	...	...	...	626,164	352,197
	1875 ...	13,133 11 0	782,329	779,617	...	...	...	647,325	326,248
	1876 ...	13,445 1 3	851,721	886,452	...	...	...	768,214	372,799
	1877 ...	15,572 10 2	1,023,373	937,330	6,353	6,490	79,266	35,574	831,353
Thames—	1878 ...	18,157 10 6	1,119,872	1,018,879	16,927	12,791	86,599	39,608	901,614
									386,885
Taranaki—	1869 ...	647 16 1	26,249	26,578	...	...	...	28,458	13,533
	1870 ...	593 6 4	30,767	28,320	...	...	...	27,315	15,308
	1871 ...	820 2 5	42,191	39,806	...	...	...	30,759	15,457
	1872 ...	982 0 5	57,929	50,739	...	...	...	38,105	18,275
	1873 ...	1,068 3 5	66,572	58,889	...	...	...	44,354	25,545
	1874 ...	1,336 1 3	80,112	71,108	...	...	...	56,384	30,217
	1875 ...	1,815 9 5	97,040	89,469	...	...	...	72,462	49,632
	1876 ...	2,520 19 6	121,734	106,207	...	...	...	91,482	52,777
	1877 ...	2,419 18 6	132,016	115,462	424	2,160	7,421	1,649	99,425
	1878 ...	2,862 4 7	153,553	124,111	1,883	1,679	9,576	2,035	105,982
Hawke's Bay—	1869 ...	1,481 17 4	67,907	65,967	...	...	...	67,239	38,684
	1870 ...	1,476 14 2	72,744	76,553	...	...	...	61,963	54,157
	1871 ...	1,569 13 2	85,003	92,297	...	...	...	63,339	67,293
	1872 ...	1,789 14 4	99,046	109,083	...	...	...	64,315	72,628
	1873 ...	2,000 2 3	139,189	150,948	...	...	...	88,172	93,090
	1874 ...	2,972 17 11	148,837	179,703	...	...	...	109,157	136,825
	1875 ...	4,076 19 8	186,993	239,973	...	...	...	128,480	150,750
	1876 ...	4,421 6 9	283,430	277,512	...	...	...	282,668	118,220
	1877 ...	5,114 17 0	361,416	270,552	4,671	1,501	30,292	9,552	329,062
	1878 ...	5,916 13 9½	381,696	367,180	4,981	4,860	22,872	25,812	235,713
Wellington—	1869 ...	12,179 1 8	319,709	302,209	...	...	...	225,867	217,126
	1870 ...	12,674 5 3	354,815	336,375	...	...	...	262,631	216,621
	1871 ...	24,040 10 0	361,442	309,343	...	...	...	283,917	216,181
	1872 ...	41,883 4 0	458,702	472,016	...	...	...	315,314	236,486
	1873 ...	38,274 5 0	675,258	564,991	...	...	...	370,149	313,347
	1874 ...	40,588 16 2	691,956	743,776	...	...	...	506,428	390,085
	1875 ...	51,050 5 8	802,950	922,177	...	...	...	596,768	470,650
	1876 ...	51,837 10 9	951,717	1,040,510	...	...	...	732,782	516,060
	1877 ...	53,710 19 2	1,181,160	1,070,870	7,674	1,521	83,661	89,214	755,709
	1878 ...	56,755 5 1	1,389,349	1,290,735	16,076	18,077	87,256	107,612	749,726
Nelson—	1869 ...	3,380 11 9	180,827	176,903	...	...	...	143,694	105,830
	1870 ...	3,093 5 8	188,860	185,179	...	...	...	191,671	123,821
	1871 ...	2,556 9 6	205,159	208,766	...	...	...	154,687	133,805
	1872 ...	3,004 17 6	266,774	263,147	...	...	...	190,304	157,988
	1873 ...	3,030 6 8	256,566	249,349	...	...	...	210,467	187,005
	1874 ...	2,262 14 7	176,606	172,461	...	...	...	162,202	89,568
	1875*	2,399 11 10	205,716	180,707	...	...	...	145,470	111,769
	1876 ...	2,367 15 1	209,951	197,122	...	...	...	171,325	109,297
	1877 ...	3,041 1 9	225,843	191,014	1,398	154	19,441	5,202	164,303
	1878 ...	3,328 0 8	232,647	225,506	3,377	2,592	20,527	10,807	138,010
Westport—	1875 ...	1,053 6 2	73,527	57,447	...	...	...	95,237	51,258
	1876 ...	828 17 11	72,984	68,394	...	...	...	91,581	49,445
	1877 ...	898 1 8	77,775	62,806	699	251	5,259	1,432	102,499
	1878 ...	895 13 4	73,656	73,879	603	1,148	4,740	3,873	73,978
Marlborough—	1869 ...	896 11 4	54,812	53,562	...	...	...	57,796	38,611
	1870 ...	1,099 16 7	87,174	92,124	...	...	...	71,467	72,202
	1871 ...	1,201 14 11	62,647	58,003	...	...	...	54,948	36,279
	1872 ...	1,317 0 4	75,067	67,928	...	...	...	55,204	36,585
	1873 ...	1,417 17 11	107,658	96,920	...	...	...	91,668	53,764
	1874 ...	1,368 7 3	125,314	128,954	...	...	...	128,956	76,205
	1875 ...	1,719 9 0	153,723	131,624	...	...	...	153,124	60,787
	1876 ...	1,740 0 0	154,091	149,033	...	...	...	138,035	68,929
	1877 ...	1,628 8 1	175,335	151,901	576	277	11,626	3,899	161,346
	1878 ...	1,870 6 6	198,725	173,872	927	1,363	10,497	11,205	113,460

* The Thames returns have been separated from those of Auckland; the Westport returns from those of Nelson; and the Grey-mouth returns from those of Nelson and Hokitika.

POSTAGE.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

TABLE showing the Postal Revenue and Number of Letters and Newspapers received at and despatched from the several Postal Districts, from 1869 to 1878, both Years inclusive—*continued.*

Postal Districts.	Revenue.	Letters.		Post Cards.		Books.		Newspapers.	
		Received.	Despatched.	Received.	Despatched.	Received.	Despatched.	Received.	Despatched.
Canterbury—	£ s. d.								
	1869 ...	8,857 8 10	535,062	397,352	...	...	...	342,274	189,229
	1870 ...	8,905 19 6	623,794	410,938	...	...	...	353,651	168,635
	1871 ...	9,072 1 10	718,910	455,536	...	...	...	338,356	179,077
	1872 ...	10,324 5 1	876,786	497,326	...	...	...	373,763	195,346
	1873 ...	12,191 14 8	951,020	541,341	...	...	...	511,109	238,416
	1874 ...	13,382 13 11	844,327	858,393	...	...	...	476,098	231,718
	1875 ...	17,582 19 8	1,052,071	1,000,864	...	...	...	529,554	295,420
	1876 ...	20,136 3 1	1,140,180	1,285,833	...	...	...	738,181	410,290
Hokitika—	1877 ...	22,497 5 7	1,566,401	1,275,615	25,165	16,181	99,092	45,383	774,852
	1878 ...	26,352 14 11	1,911,105	1,674,405	36,152	60,679	106,462	89,132	949,993
Hokitika—									
	1869 ...	4,292 18 1	223,369	242,400	...	...	...	151,624	116,393
	1870 ...	2,252 4 4	212,689	225,157	...	...	...	165,380	123,906
	1871 ...	3,395 7 3	235,179	240,405	...	...	...	215,463	162,782
	1872 ...	3,386 18 1	220,470	208,028	...	...	...	241,495	156,729
	1873 ...	3,393 3 7	230,294	201,940	...	...	...	282,207	178,257
	1874 ...	1,996 8 3	116,644	125,049	...	...	...	149,035	62,182
	1875*	1,816 0 9	121,517	121,743	...	...	...	151,832	68,695
	1876 ...	1,839 1 10	135,423	127,518	...	...	...	147,020	80,286
Greymouth—	1877 ...	2,834 5 7	162,042	139,867	529	73	10,388	4,168	168,290
	1878 ...	3,616 18 0	157,807	143,083	2,959	1,537	8,963	5,992	174,447
Greymouth—									
	1875 ...	2,171 13 7	146,702	167,980	...	...	...	130,734	153,106
	1876 ...	2,359 3 10	158,240	181,678	...	...	...	132,888	151,154
	1877 ...	2,611 2 6	196,849	182,407	2,841	2,109	9,666	9,805	150,200
	1878 ...	2,639 7 8	216,341	177,549	3,590	1,160	12,168	7,453	204,887
Otago—	1869 ...	13,628 1 5	584,715	538,329	...	...	...	574,691	535,131
	1870 ...	13,667 14 1	711,479	578,299	...	...	...	582,593	558,799
	1871 ...	15,044 12 9	893,997	716,623	...	...	...	651,033	833,137
	1872 ...	17,339 7 2	653,141	873,132	...	...	...	828,490	414,275
	1873 ...	18,418 7 1	824,495	959,219	...	...	...	672,038	821,988
	1874 ...	18,262 18 8	923,165	1,145,452	...	...	...	1,197,172	746,427
	1875 ...	20,891 5 9	1,106,168	1,343,748	...	...	...	1,142,015	872,706
	1876 ...	22,054 18 4	1,140,440	1,500,754	...	...	...	1,286,271	917,994
	1877 ...	27,415 2 10	1,639,434	1,200,081	22,643	7,804	82,998	61,961	1,033,346
Southland—	1878 ...	29,997 0 8	1,958,318	1,577,631	17,200	26,318	110,033	84,373	1,182,040
Totals—	1869 ...	1,805 18 11	71,414	75,445	...	...	...	80,017	64,790
	1870 ...	1,758 15 2	82,910	74,536	...	...	...	113,454	26,808
	1871 ...	1,696 5 10	92,903	91,657	...	...	...	83,616	58,328
	1872 ...	1,691 19 3	118,941	131,687	...	...	...	74,877	68,888
	1873 ...	1,962 11 11	160,867	148,825	...	...	...	71,220	94,658
	1874 ...	2,368 14 4	173,311	181,248	...	...	...	186,758	70,419
	1875 ...	3,121 5 9	205,249	238,145	...	...	...	181,133	120,913
	1876 ...	4,111 2 0	242,732	266,271	...	...	...	225,892	204,135
	1877 ...	4,223 2 9	256,705	238,913	5,706	1,726	16,869	11,302	179,996
	1878 ...	4,934 19 4½	322,941	353,277	8,311	4,359	19,015	24,576	200,280

* The Thames returns have been separated from those of Auckland; the Westport returns from those of Nelson; and the Grey-mouth returns from those of Nelson and Hokitika.

POSTAL.—REGISTERED LETTERS.

TABLE showing the Number of Letters registered at the Post Offices in the several Postal Districts during the Years 1875, 1876, 1877, and 1878.

Postal Districts.	1875.			1876.			1877.			1878.		
	To Places		Totals.	To Places		Totals.	To Places		Totals.	To Places		Totals.
	Without the Colony.	Within the Colony.		Without the Colony.	Within the Colony.		Without the Colony.	Within the Colony.		Without the Colony.	Within the Colony.	
Auckland ...	1,669	6,640	8,309	1,799	6,468	8,267	1,818	8,405	10,223	2,055	10,374	12,429
Thames ...	334	657	991	290	887	1,177	123	1,051	1,174	145	919	1,064
Taranaki ...	217	652	869	230	517	747	186	951	1,137	197	992	1,189
Hawke's Bay ...	345	1,338	1,683	483	2,286	2,769	483	2,862	3,345	591	3,095	3,686
Wellington ...	1,674	6,893	8,567	2,134	7,946	10,080	1,791	10,358	12,149	2,121	12,510	14,631
Nelson ...	256	981	1,237	320	685	1,005	381	1,273	1,654	362	1,407	1,769
Westport ...	164	629	793	146	409	555	52	485	537	84	697	781
Marlborough ...	175	848	1,023	175	665	840	88	767	855	127	740	867
Canterbury ...	2,648	4,988	7,636	3,139	5,846	8,985	1,542	8,242	9,784	2,281	10,786	13,067
Hokitika ...	460	959	1,419	394	1,195	1,589	257	1,495	1,752	214	1,636	1,850
Greymouth ...	778	1,415	2,193	602	1,451	2,053	181	1,685	1,866	230	1,420	1,650
Otago ...	4,656	5,617	10,273	5,270	6,024	11,294	2,591	11,086	13,677	2,819	9,613	12,432
Southland ...	605	2,532	3,137	681	2,824	3,505	234	2,200	2,434	444	3,119	3,563
Totals ...	13,981	34,149	48,130	15,663	37,203	52,866	9,727	50,860	60,587	11,670	57,308	68,978

ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

TABLE showing the Telegraph Stations in New Zealand, and the Number of Telegrams transmitted at each Station, with the Cash Revenue received, and Cash Value of Government Telegrams forwarded, during the period of the Financial Year ending 30th June, 1878.*

Stations.	Private and Press Telegrams.			Government Telegrams.			Total Number of all Codes.	Totals of Cash Revenue and Cash Value.
	Number.	Cash Revenue.	Number.	Cash Value.				
Abbotsford ...	472	£ 27 7 6	14	£ 0 16 2			486	£ 28 3 8
Ahaura ...	3,133	204 6 11	743	72 1 7			3,876	276 8 6
Akaroa ...	3,941	284 7 9	384	28 10 9			4,325	312 18 6
Alexandra, Auckland ...	2,176	126 19 4	911	198 9 2			3,987	325 8 6
Alexandra, Otago ...	1,540	94 10 5	110	7 9 5			1,650	101 19 10
Amberley ...	2,049	123 17 2	98	6 11 5			2,147	130 8 7
Arrow ...	2,592	183 9 3	460	49 3 1			3,052	232 12 4
Ashburton ...	8,326	569 19 5	494	37 5 5			8,820	607 4 10
Auckland ...	78,066	6,020 0 11	12,254	1,497 19 0			90,320	7,427 19 11
Balclutha ...	6,720	409 2 3	655	50 9 6			7,375	459 11 9
Bealey ...	677	42 0 7	700	44 13 2			1,377	86 13 9
Blenheim ...	8,468	640 17 9	1,919	147 0 3			10,387	787 18 0
Blueskin ...	987	58 10 9	153	11 14 7			1,140	70 5 4
Bluff ...	6,422	383 17 1	1,996	156 15 2			8,418	540 12 3
Brighton...	4	0 4 7	7	0 17 0			11	1 1 7
Bull's ...	5,378	345 7 6	318	22 0 5			5,696	367 7 11
Burnham ...	160	9 10 3	30	1 15 10			190	11 6 1
Cambridge ...	5,257	357 3 2	958	84 7 0			6,215	441 10 2
Carterton ...	2,292	131 14 7	193	18 3 9			2,485	149 18 4
Castlepoint ...	813	50 19 9	403	28 0 8			1,216	79 0 5
Caversham ...	622	34 16 9	30	3 2 1			652	37 18 10
Charleston ...	1,997	120 3 4	196	13 6 5			2,193	133 9 9
Cheviot ...	1,115	117 4 5	63	4 5 7			1,178	121 10 0
Christchurch ...	75,466	6,548 17 10	10,668	1,205 2 9			86,134	7,754 0 7
Clinton ...	2,270	144 17 0	364	30 2 6			2,634	174 19 6
Clyde ...	2,142	159 9 1	667	62 3 8			2,809	221 12 9
Coalgate ...	491	29 9 2	38	5 6 3			529	34 15 5
Coromandel ...	4,991	285 19 9	730	65 15 9			5,721	351 15 6
Cromwell ...	3,346	237 2 0	203	13 7 9			3,549	250 9 9
Cust ...	309	17 10 9	6	0 12 11			315	18 3 8
Drury ...	623	37 9 11	64	5 11 11			687	43 1 10
Dunedin ...	101,107	8,004 16 11	9,446	1,038 14 1			110,553	9,043 11 0
Dunedin North ...	4,479	268 2 0	170	16 8 6			4,649	284 10 6
Dunedin Railway ...	460	27 18 7	2,009	213 19 4			2,469	241 17 11
Dunsandel ...	798	45 16 0	10	0 15 11			808	46 11 11
Edendale ...	925	54 13 2	99	6 19 6			1,024	61 12 8
Elbow ...	840	48 18 1	42	3 2 0			882	52 0 1
Fardon ...	758	46 9 2	74	18 3 0			832	64 12 2
Featherston ...	3,210	192 17 9	544	48 17 10			3,754	241 15 7
Feilding ...	2,935	177 10 7	296	24 13 10			3,231	202 4 5
Foxhill ...	440	27 12 5	39	3 19 9			479	31 12 2
Foxton ...	5,020	312 11 9	1,091	89 12 11			6,111	402 4 8
Geraldine ...	1,456	93 5 10	83	5 13 5			1,539	98 19 3

* See note at foot of Decennial Table, page 167.

ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

TABLE showing the Telegraph Stations in New Zealand, and the number of Telegrams transmitted at each Station, with the Cash Revenue received, and Cash Value of Government Telegrams forwarded, during the period of the Financial Year ending 30th June, 1878—*continued.*

Stations.	Private and Press Telegrams.			Government Telegrams.			Total Number of all Codes.	Totals of Cash Revenue and Cash Value.
	Number.	Cash Revenue.	Number.	Cash Value.				
Gisborne	13,568	£ 1,039 0 10	3,092	£ 288 18 4			16,660	£ 1,327 19 2
Gore	2,878	176 7 7	162	11 6 1			3,040	187 13 8
Government Buildings	12,565	781 17 10	28,794	£ 3,514 17 1			41,359	4,296 14 11
Grahamstown	17,629	1,376 7 11	1,681	215 18 3			19,310	1,592 6 2
Greymouth	26,112	1,954 13 9	3,617	350 1 0			29,729	2,304 14 9
Greytown	4,852	329 14 0	406	34 13 0			5,258	364 7 0
Hamilton	6,967	551 11 6	816	77 8 2			7,783	628 19 8
Hampden	1,299	82 12 5	187	16 15 0			1,486	99 7 5
Hastings, Hawke's Bay	1,914	121 18 5	63	5 12 9			1,977	127 11 2
Hastings, Thames	166	9 14 6	9	1 5 2			175	10 19 8
Havelock	3,799	232 17 0	299	23 0 7			4,908	255 17 7
Hawera	4,806	315 7 1	789	72 16 5			5,595	388 3 6
Helensville	1,854	116 3 9	294	28 16 11			2,148	145 0 8
Herbert	669	39 4 3	61	5 0 0			730	44 4 3
Hokianga	1,894	166 15 7	711	57 3 4			2,605	223 18 11
Hokitika	21,951	1,625 0 0	5,165	622 13 3			27,116	2,247 13 3
Horndon Junction	154	9 3 7	3	0 4 0			157	9 7 7
Hurunui	1,248	80 5 11	78	7 6 7			1,326	87 12 6
Hutt	1,245	75 17 4	65	4 5 11			1,310	80 3 3
Inglewood	402	24 18 11	23	2 0 9			425	26 19 8
Invercargill	19,929	1,542 2 11	4,550	465 3 9			24,479	2,007 6 8
Kaiapoi	3,274	202 15 1	354	28 17 3			3,628	231 12 4
Kaikoura	2,214	154 16 11	805	55 12 3			3,019	210 9 2
Kaitangata	980	56 19 9	40	2 10 7			1,020	59 10 4
Kakanui	1,851	119 8 4	25	1 10 3			1,876	120 18 7
Katikati	247	17 2 4	32	2 11 7			279	19 13 11
Kawakawa	2,061	145 4 9	429	34 11 4			2,490	179 16 1
Kekerangu	363	22 3 0	351	23 3 7			714	45 6 7
Kopua	522	29 2 0	172	21 2 9			694	50 4 9
Kumara	8,965	599 10 7	1,106	98 16 7			10,071	698 7 2
Lawrence	5,489	321 14 11	789	66 18 8			6,278	388 13 7
Leithfield	582	35 16 1	59	4 17 3			641	40 13 4
Longbush	1,200	75 14 7	15	0 19 10			1,215	76 14 5
Longford	6	0 7 5	...	...			6	0 7 5
Lowther	275	17 6 7	40	3 9 0			315	20 15 7
Lyell	2,070	138 14 7	486	33 13 1			2,556	172 7 8
Lyttelton	16,689	1,003 8 1	4,959	312 6 11			21,648	1,315 15 0
Maketu	1,339	89 5 7	874	163 12 4			2,213	252 17 11
Malvern	373	23 5 7	105	8 5 5			478	31 11 0
Manukau Heads	629	37 2 7	943	51 8 11			1,572	88 11 6
Manutahi	835	52 9 9	79	5 4 1			914	57 13 10
Marton	4,596	326 6 10	441	45 5 6			5,937	371 12 4
Masterton	8,092	577 11 5	746	58 5 0			8,838	635 16 5
Mataura	1,393	80 3 2	183	14 12 6			1,576	94 15 8
Mercer	1,230	73 16 4	147	16 14 6			1,377	90 10 10
Mohaka	829	53 2 1	16	1 5 10			845	54 7 11
Mongonui	788	51 14 8	260	17 12 3			1,048	60 6 11
Mosgiel	1,062	61 18 3	56	4 10 11			1,118	66 9 2
Motueka	2,072	119 13 4	148	10 10 8			2,220	130 4 0
Manuka Creek	97	5 15 8	...	...			97	5 15 8
Napier	27,248	2,509 7 4	4,047	435 9 5			31,295	2,944 16 9
Naseby	3,023	218 12 9	744	60 8 3			3,707	279 1 0
Nelson	27,381	1,992 1 4	5,568	475 8 4			32,949	2,467 9 8
Newcastle	2,651	167 15 3	381	48 2 3			3,932	215 17 6
Newmarket	1,446	88 12 0	122	12 11 9			1,568	101 3 9
New Plymouth	11,835	995 11 8	3,365	310 3 5			15,200	1,305 15 1
Oamaru	26,793	2,195 13 8	5,049	428 1 5			31,842	2,623 15 1
Ohaeawai	961	59 16 6	54	7 4 0			1,015	67 0 6
Onehunga	3,335	214 1 6	1,175	80 7 2			4,510	294 8 8
Ophir	1,215	75 10 2	155	12 4 8			1,370	87 14 10
Opotiki	2,509	163 9 5	1,010	92 16 7			3,519	256 6 0
Opunake	722	46 0 1	490	40 6 3			1,212	86 6 4
Orari	468	27 15 0	21	1 7 11			489	29 2 11
Oreti	633	41 15 8	26	2 1 9			659	43 17 5
Otago Heads	507	29 8 3	602	37 2 7			1,109	66 10 10
Otahuhu	738	42 3 9	26	1 17 10			764	44 1 7
Otaki	1,301	85 0 8	244	30 2 4			1,545	115 3 0
Outram	1,477	85 10 1	100	5 18 5			1,577	91 8 6
Oxford	1,167	71 10 0	46	3 5 8			1,213	74 16 6
Palmerston	5,426	360 15 3	568	64 13 7			5,994	425 8 10
Palmerston North	5,642	360 0 3	583	43 8 10			6,225	403 9 1
Patea	5,260	386 6 3	779	76 3 9			6,030	462 10 0
Picton	4,449	283 0 9	1,161	76 14 6			5,610	359 15 3
Porangahau	1,304	85 15 0	59	4 19 0			1,363	90 14 0
Port Chalmers	8,616	430 6 7	6,364	363 2 8			14,980	793 9 3
Pukorokoro	154	9 15 8	4	0 7 1			158	10 2 9
Queenstown	5,175	421 11 11	793	74 12 5			5,968	496 4 4
Rakaia	2,393	151 13 2	60	5 10 0			2,453	157 3 2
Rangiora	2,886	172 9 7	98	6 17 3			2,984	179 6 10
Rangitata North	146	9 6 10	4	0 7 3			150	9 14 1
Reefton	14,449	1,033 6 9	1,833	151 16 2			16,282	1,185 2 11
Richmond	852	49 2 6	76	6 11 3			928	55 13 9

ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

TABLE showing the Telegraph Stations in New Zealand, and the Number of Telegrams transmitted at each Station, with the Cash Revenue received, and Cash Value of Government Telegrams forwarded, during the period of the Financial Year ending 30th June, 1878—continued.

Stations.	Private and Press Telegrams.			Government Telegrams.			Total Number of all Codes.	Totals of Cash Revenue and Cash Value.
	Number.	Cash Revenue.		Number.	Cash Value.			
Riverhead	...	376	£ 21 2	10	44	£ 3 19 6	420	£ 25 2 4
Riverton	...	3,735	251	5 7	504	36 3 7	4,239	287 9 2
Rolleston	...	216	13	3 10	7	0 7 4	223	13 11 2
Ross	...	2,089	132	16 1	269	25 15 6	2,358	158 11 7
Rotorua	...	2,673	184	4 1	660	100 7 5	3,333	284 11 6
Roxburgh	...	1,656	99	15 1	496	31 11 1	2,152	131 6 2
Russell	...	2,718	149	1 2	1,272	84 9 1	3,990	233 10 3
Sanson	...	1,546	95	8 10	80	7 2 0	1,626	102 10 10
Sheffield	...	615	38	4 5	25	2 9 5	640	40 13 10
Southbridge	...	2,082	125	7 5	84	8 6 9	2,166	133 14 2
Southbridge Junction	...	169	10	8 4	4	0 4 5	173	10 12 9
Spit	...	7,873	515	16 9	1,833	114 13 11	9,706	630 10 8
Springston	...	171	10	17 3	2	0 2 0	173	10 19 3
St. Bathans	...	1,038	67	17 3	61	3 16 6	1,099	71 13 9
Stirling	...	655	37	8 5	119	7 15 1	774	45 3 6
Tapanui	...	2,913	180	15 11	216	16 13 8	3,129	197 9 7
Tarawera	...	388	24	5 0	152	13 19 2	540	38 4 2
Taupo	...	1,750	112	1 0	1,156	114 2 4	2,906	226 3 4
Tauranga	...	7,931	574	0 4	2,857	301 10 3	10,788	875 10 7
Te Awamutu	...	1,587	106	18 2	195	21 8 11	1,782	128 7 1
Temuka	...	3,690	230	5 2	288	23 9 9	3,978	253 14 11
Te Nui	...	188	11	8 6	4	0 7 8	192	11 16 2
Timaru	...	23,502	1,905	17 7	3,212	248 4 9	26,714	2,154 2 4
Tokatea	...	922	58	16 1	312	18 2 4	1,234	76 18 5
Tokomairiro	...	3,967	246	12 10	389	30 2 3	4,356	276 15 1
Tophouse	...	257	17	5 3	368	25 11 11	625	42 17 2
Turakina	...	1,367	81	16 0	135	11 14 10	1,502	93 10 10
Upper Hutt	...	2,026	115	10 3	196	13 18 1	2,222	129 8 4
Waiau	...	1,537	106	18 11	254	23 14 3	1,791	130 13 2
Waihola	...	580	32	19 9	43	3 12 10	623	36 12 7
Waikai	...	1,003	63	8 4	128	9 9 3	1,131	72 17 7
Waikouaiti	...	2,527	147	11 5	321	26 11 4	2,848	174 2 9
Waimate	...	5,560	370	4 4	672	65 11 10	6,232	435 16 2
Waimate Junction	...	314	18	11 11	274	25 1 10	588	43 13 9
Wainui	...	529	38	4 3	13	1 0 0	542	39 4 3
Waipahi	...	449	27	3 2	26	3 3 1	475	30 6 3
Waipawa	...	4,441	275	16 7	306	22 12 2	4,747	298 8 9
Waipu	...	641	39	5 6	40	3 12 10	681	42 18 4
Waipukurau	...	3,028	203	14 0	234	18 3 0	3,262	221 17 0
Wairoa	...	3,392	234	8 5	450	38 14 8	3,842	273 3 1
Waitahuna	...	637	36	15 5	13	1 0 9	650	37 16 2
Waitaki	...	464	28	5 11	286	22 12 4	750	50 18 3
Waitotara	...	1,563	97	0 2	100	10 7 7	1,163	107 7 9
Waitara	...	856	55	1 1	367	70 4 10	1,223	125 5 11
Waiuku	...	904	63	6 5	79	6 8 8	1,043	69 15 1
Waiwera	...	1,483	91	8 4	95	12 9 6	1,578	103 17 10
Wakapuaka	...	13,272	980	13 8	18	1 7 7	13,290	982 1 3
Wanganui	...	27,448	2,013	6 9	3,656	309 15 7	31,104	2,323 2 4
Warkworth	...	1,024	66	4 3	75	7 1 6	1,099	73 5 9
Washdyke	...	437	25	17 7	4	0 7 6	441	26 5 1
Waverley	...	2,393	142	19 4	159	12 17 7	2,552	155 16 11
Wellington	...	154,985	6,496	9 6	17,985	1,697 8 6	172,970	8,193 18 0
Westport	...	10,057	812	0 2	3,603	327 7 5	13,660	1,139 7 7
Whangarei	...	1,872	143	4 10	517	34 13 3	2,389	177 18 1
Whangaroa	...	781	51	16 10	179	9 5 1	960	61 1 11
White's Bay
Winton	...	1,414	80	19 6	146	9 2 2	1,560	90 1 8
Winslow	...	271	16	5 2	5	0 6 0	276	16 11 2
Totals	...	1,065,481	73,284	1 10	194,843	19,148 12 4	1,260,324	92,432 14 2

ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

Year.	Number of Miles.	Miles of Wire.	Private Telegrams.		Government Telegrams.		Totals of Cash Revenue and Cash Value.
			Number.	Cash Revenue.	Number.	Cash Value.	
1869	1,611	2,777	112,204	£ 18,155 14 5	61,542	14,493 6 6	32,649 0 11
1870	1,887	3,159	18,1860	18,047 14 0	56,335	9,375 0 6	27,422 14 6
1871	2,015	3,287	30,979	25,938 0 6	63,106	11,265 9 6	37,203 10 0
1872	2,312	4,011	415,470	33,939 7 0	75,735	10,729 16 6	44,669 3 6
1873	2,389	4,609	542,271	42,420 17 0	95,220	12,774 18 0	55,195 15 0
1874	2,632	5,284	724,582	50,628 8 1	119,719	12,694 2 9	63,322 10 10
1875	3,156	7,065	849,919	59,678 11 0	143,404	14,741 11 9	74,420 2 9
1876	3,170	7,093	936,469	64,336 14 10	164,130	16,503 19 9	80,840 14 7
1877	3,307	7,530	1,008,088	67,854 16 5	182,867	17,734 11 7	85,589 8 0
*1878	3,434	8,035	1,065,481	73,284 1 10	194,843	19,148 12 4	92,432 14 2

* The figures for 1878 in this table are not for the year ending 31st December, as they are for the other years of the decennial period, but for the financial year ending 30th June. The information, therefore, respecting electric telegraphs is not brought down to the end of 1878, and the figures given for that year include a portion of the numbers given for 1877.

Description of Labour.	Auckland.	Taranaki.	Hawke's Bay.	Wellington.	Marlborough.	Nelson.	Westland.	Canterbury.
I. AGRICULTURAL LABOUR.								
Farm Labourers, with board	15s. to 20s. p. wk.; 7s. per day*	17s. 6d. to 20s. p. wk.; £52 to £60 per wk.; £60 p. an.; 6s. per day*	20s. to 25s. p. wk.; £52 to £60 per wk.; £60 p. an.; 7s. 6d. to 25s. p. wk.; £50 to £60 per annum	20s. to 25s. p. wk.; £52 to £60 per wk.; £60 p. an.; 8s. per day*	20s. to 25s. p. wk.; £52 to £60 per wk.; £60 p. an.; 8s. per day*	20s. to 25s. p. wk.; £52 to £60 per wk.; £60 p. an.; 8s. per day*	20s. to 25s. p. wk.; £52 to £60 per wk.; £60 p. an.; 8s. per day*	20s. to 25s. p. wk.; £52 to £60 per wk.; £60 p. an.; 8s. per day*
Ploughmen
Reapers
Mowers
Threshers
Men Cooks on Farms	...	10s. to 15s. p. wk.; £39 per an.; 5s. per day*	20s. p. wk.; £52 p. an.; 7s. p. day*.	20s. to 30s. p. wk.; £60 to £70 per annum	20s. to 30s. p. wk.; £60 to £70 per annum	20s. to 30s. p. wk.; £75 per annum	20s. to 30s. p. wk.; £75 per annum	20s. to 30s. p. wk.; £75 per annum
Female Farm Servants
2. PASTORAL.								
Shepherds	...	20s. to 30s. p. wk.	...	£70 to £80 p. an.	£60 to £90 p. an.; 25s. to 35s. p. wk.; 8s. to 10s. p. an.; £65 to £80 p. an.; 30s. to 35s. p. wk.; 7s. to 9s. per day*	18s. to 28s. p. wk.; £50 to £60 per annum	20s. to 25s. p. wk.; £50 to £60 per annum	20s. to 25s. p. wk.; £50 to £60 per annum
Stockkeepers	...	20s. to 25s. p. wk.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hutkeepers
Station Labourers	...	15s. to 20s. p. wk.	...	20s. to 25s. p. wk.; 8s. per day*	20s. p. week; £52 p. annum; 7s. to 9s. per day*	20s. to 25s. p. wk.; £52 p. annum; 7s. to 9s. per day*	20s. to 25s. p. wk.; £52 p. annum; 7s. to 9s. per day*	20s. to 25s. p. wk.; £52 p. annum; 7s. to 9s. per day*
Sheep-washers	10s. p. day; 12s. p. day*	20s. per 100 sheep; 6s. per day	18s. to 21s. per 100 sheep	18s. to 21s. per 100 sheep	18s. to 21s. per 100 sheep
Shearers	...	14s. to 25s. p. 100 sheep	...	42s. p. 100 sheep*	20s. per 100 sheep; 30s. to 45s. per week	18s. to 21s. per 100 sheep	18s. to 21s. per 100 sheep	18s. to 21s. per 100 sheep
Men Cooks on Stations	...	15s. to 25s. p. wk.	...	25s. to 30s. p. wk.; £55 to £65 per annum	20s. to 25s. p. wk.	20s. to 25s. p. wk.	20s. to 25s. p. wk.	20s. to 25s. p. wk.
3. ARTISAN.								
Masons	...	14s. per day*	10s. to 12s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. per day*	14s. to 16s. p. day*	14s. to 16s. p. day*	14s. to 16s. p. day*
Coopers	40s. to 60s. p. wk.*	...	...	14s. to 15s. p. day*	14s. to 15s. p. day*	14s. to 15s. p. day*
Plasterers	10s. to 12s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. d. *	12s. per day*	12s. per day*	12s. per day*	12s. per day*
Carvers	12s. to 14s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. d. *	12s. per day*	12s. per day*	12s. per day*	12s. per day*
Bricklayers	11s. to 12s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. d. *	12s. to 14s. p. day*	14s. to 15s. p. day*	14s. to 15s. p. day*	14s. to 15s. p. day*
Foundrymen	9s. to 10s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. d. *	12s. per day*	12s. per day*	12s. per day*	12s. per day*
Carpenters	10s. to 12s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. d. *	12s. per day*	14s. to 15s. p. day*	14s. to 15s. p. day*	14s. to 15s. p. day*
Upholsterers	10s. to 12s. p. day*	9s. to 12s. p. d. *	10s. to 12s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. day*
Smiths	8s. to 10s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. d. *	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*
Shipwrights	10s. to 12s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. d. *	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*
Wheelwrights	7s. to 10s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. d. *	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*
Cabinetmakers	9s. to 12s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. d. *	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*
Turners	8s. to 10s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. d. *	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*
Painters	8s. to 10s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. d. *	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*
Plumbers	8s. to 10s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. d. *	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*
Tinsmiths	8s. to 9s. p. day*	9s. to 10s. p. day*	10s. to 12s. p. d. *	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*	12s. to 14s. p. day*

4. SERVANTS.	
Married Couples (without family)	$\$70$ p. an.; $5s.$ p. day*
Married Couples (with family)	$\$60$ to $\$80$ p. an.
Grooms	... 20s. to 30s. p. wk.; $\$52$ p. annum
Gardeners	... 15s. to 20s. p. wk.
Cooks	... 20s. to 30s. p. wk.; $\$40$ per annum
Laundresses	... 15s. to 20s. p. wk.
General House Servants	... 10s. to 14s. p. wk.
Housemaids	... 10s. to 15s. p. wk.
Nursemaids	... 5s. to 10s. p. week
Needlewomen	... 2s. 6d. to 4s. p. d.*
5. MISCELLANEOUS.	
General Labourers	... 6s. to 8s. p. day*
Stonebreakers	... 5s. per day*
Seamen	... 8s. to 10s. p. day*
Miners	... 30s. to 45s. p. wk.*
Storekeepers' Assistants	... 48s. per week*
Engindrivers	... 3s. to 5s. per day
Dressmakers	... 10s. to 40s. p. wk.*
Milliners	... 3s. to 5s. per day
Machinists	... 5os. to 120s. p. wk.*
Drapers' Assistants	... 40s. to 70s. p. wk.*
Nawies	... 50s. to 70s. p. wk.*
Bootmakers	... 40s. to 60s. p. wk.*
Tailoresses	... 40s. to 60s. p. wk.*
Hatmakers	... 30s. to 90s. p. wk.*
Curriers	... 35s. to 45s. p. wk.*
Fellmongers	... 60s. to 100s. p. wk.*
Woolstaplers	... 20s. to 35s. p. wk.; 42s. to 50s. p. wk.*
Butchers	... 8s. to 10s. p. day*
Brushmakers	... 8s. per day*
Basketmakers	... 36s. per week*
Ropemakers	... 35s. to 40s. p. wk.*
Soap and Candle Workers	... 35s. to 40s. p. wk.*
Sawmill hands	... 35s. per week*
Businessmen	... 10s. per day*
Bakers	... 30s. to 35s. p. wk.*
Stonemasons	... 10s. to 12s. p. day*
Printers	... 10s. to 12s. p. day*
Saddlers	... 10s. per day*
Wireworkers	... 10s. per day*
Paviors	... 10s. per day*
Compositors	... 10s. to 12s. p. day*
4. SERVANTS.	
Married Couples (without family)	$\$70$ to $\$80$ p. an.; $\$65$ to $\$70$ p. an.
Married Couples (with family)	$\$60$ to $\$80$ p. an.
Grooms	... 20s. to 30s. p. wk.; $\$40$ per annum
Gardeners	... 15s. to 20s. p. wk.
Cooks	... 20s. to 30s. p. wk.; $\$40$ per annum
Laundresses	... 15s. to 20s. p. wk.
General House Servants	... 10s. to 14s. p. wk.
Housemaids	... 10s. to 15s. p. wk.
Nursemaids	... 5s. to 10s. p. week
Needlewomen	... 2s. 6d. to 4s. p. d.*
5. MISCELLANEOUS.	
General Labourers	... 6s. to 8s. p. day*
Stonebreakers	... 5s. per day*
Seamen	... 8s. to 10s. p. day*
Miners	... 30s. to 45s. p. wk.*
Storekeepers' Assistants	... 48s. per week*
Engindrivers	... 3s. to 5s. per day
Dressmakers	... 10s. to 40s. p. wk.*
Milliners	... 3s. to 5s. per day
Machinists	... 5os. to 120s. p. wk.*
Drapers' Assistants	... 40s. to 70s. p. wk.*
Nawies	... 50s. to 70s. p. wk.*
Bootmakers	... 40s. to 60s. p. wk.*
Tailoresses	... 40s. to 60s. p. wk.*
Hatmakers	... 30s. to 90s. p. wk.*
Curriers	... 35s. to 45s. p. wk.*
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Butchers	... 8s. per day*
Brushmakers	... 8s. per day*
Basketmakers	... 36s. per week*
Ropemakers	... 35s. to 40s. p. wk.*
Soap and Candle Workers	... 35s. to 40s. p. wk.*
Sawmill hands	... 35s. per week*
Businessmen	... 10s. per day*
Bakers	... 30s. to 35s. p. wk.*
Stonemasons	... 10s. to 12s. p. day*
Printers	... 10s. to 12s. p. day*
Saddlers	... 10s. per day*
Wireworkers	... 10s. per day*
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Bakers	... 30s. to 35s. p. wk.*
Stonemasons	... 10s. to 12s. p. day*
Printers	... 10s. to 12s. p. day*
Saddlers	... 10s. per day*
Wireworkers	... 10s. per day*
Paviors	... 10s. per day*
Compositors	... 10s. to 12s. p. day*

* Without board. N.B.—In all other cases the rate of wages stated is in addition to board or rations.

AVERAGE PRICES of Provisions and Live Stock, in each Provincial District of New Zealand, in the Year 1878.
PRICES.

Articles.	Auckland.	Taranaki.	Hawke's Bay.	Wellington.	Marlborough.	Nelson.	Westland.	Canterbury.	Otago.
Batr—Colonial ... per hhd.	... £4 to £8	£5 o o	£9	£5 to £5 10s.	£5 o o	£5 o o	£5 to £6 10s.	£4 10 o	£4 10s. to £6 10s.
English ... per hhd.	... ...	... ...	... ...	£8 to 25s.	19s. to 25s.	22s. to 25s.	... ...	... ...	... ...
Brandy ... per gallon	... ...	... ...	... ...	2d.	1½d.	0 o 2½	1 5 0	1 4 0	22s. to 27s.
Bread—Wheaten...	... per lb.	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	0 o 2	0 o 2	0 o 1½	1½d. to 2½d.
Butter—Fresh ... per lb.	... ...	... ...	... ...	1s. to 1s. 9d.	1s. 9d. to 2s. 3d.	1s. to 1s. 6d.	0 1 3	0 1 4	1s. 4d. to 1s. 9d.
Salt ... per lb.	... ...	... ...	... ...	10d. to 1s. 4d.	1s. 6d. to 2s.	1s. to 1s. 3d.	0 1 0	0 1 0	1s. 2d. to 1s. 6d.
Cheese—Colonial (retail) ... per lb.	... ...	... ...	... ...	8d. to 10d.	1s. to 1s. 3d.	10d.	0 1 0	0 1 0	9d. to 1s.
Coffee ... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	1s. 6d. to 2s.	1s. 9d.	1s. 7d.	0 2 0	0 1 8	1s. 6d. to 1s. 9d.
Flour ... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	24s. 6d. to 34s.	£1 5s.	22s. to 26s.	1 5 0	1 8 0	25s. to 40s.
Grain—Wheat ... ...	... ...	... ...	per bushel of 60 lb.	4s. 9d. to 5s. 3d.	... ...	3s. 6d. to 4s. 6d.	0 3 3	0 6 0	6s. 6d. to 8s.
Live Stock—Cattle:									
Store	per head...	... ...	... ...	£8 to £15	7 o o	£5 to £12	7 o o	12 10 o	£4 to £9
Live Stock—Horses:									
Draught	per head...	... ...	... ...	£5 to £40	15 o o	£15 to £45	£2 to £60	£10 to £100	£20 to £70
Saddle	per head...	... ...	... ...	10s. to 18s.	0 7 6	8s. to 12s.	0 8 6	0 12 0	£8 to £35
Live Stock—Sheep	per head...	... ...	... ...	20s. to 30s.	0 5 o	£1 to £1 10s.	15s. to 17s. 6d.	9 10 o	9 10 o
Goats	per head...	... ...	... ...	30s. to 50s.	2 o o	£1 to £3	1 5 o	0 10 o	10s. to 20s.
Swine	per head...	... ...	... ...	3½d. to 8d.	0 5	5d. to 6d.	7d. to 10d.	0 6	22s. 6d. to 65s.
Meat—Beef ...	per lb.	... ...	... ...	2½d. to 6d.	0 o 5	3d. to 3½d.	6d. to 9d.	0 o 6	6d. to 7d.
Mutton	per lb.	... ...	... ...	4d. to 4½d.	0 o 5	4d. to 5d.	5d. to 6d.	0 o 3	3d. to 6d.
Pork	per lb.	... ...	... ...	5d. to 6d.	0 o 8	4d. to 5d.	5d. to 6d.	0 o 6	7½d. to 10d.
Milk	per quart	... ...	... ...	3d. to 6d.	0 o 4	6d.	0 o 4	8d.	4d. to 8d.
Rice	per lb.	... ...	... ...	3d. to 5d.	0 o 4	2½d.	3½d.	0 o 4	3d. to 5d.
Salt	per lb.	... ...	... ...	1d. to 2d.	0 o 2	1½d.	1d.	0 o 1	1d. to 3d.
Sugar... ...	per lb.	... ...	... ...	4½d. to 6d.	0 o 6	4½d. to 4¾d.	5½d. to 7d.	0 o 5	4½d. to 6½d.
Tea	per lb.	... ...	... ...	2s. to 3s.	0 3 o	2s. 6d. to 3s.	0 3 o	0 2 6½	2s. 6d. to 3s.
Tobacco	per lb.	4s. to 6s.	0 5 o	4s. 6d. to 5s.	6s. 6d. to 7s.	0 5 o	4s. 6d. to 5s. 6d.
Wine	per gallon	12s. to 24s.	1 o o	£1 2s.	18s.	1 1 o	16s. to 20s.

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STATISTICS OF NEW ZEALAND, 1878.

FINANCE, ACCUMULATION, AND PRODUCTION.

FINANCE.

GENERAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

TABLE showing the General Revenue and General Expenditure of the Colony of New Zealand, in the Year ended 31st December, 1878.

REVENUE.				EXPENDITURE.			
Heads of Revenue.			Revenue.	Heads of Expenditure.			Expenditure.
Customs	£ 1,344,687 16 1	Governor's Salary and Establishment	...	£ 7,500 0 0
Stamps	174,945 4 8	Legislature	...	53,613 18 10
Post	109,330 16 11	Executive	...	43,070 7 8
Telegraph	76,470 12 10	Printing and Stationery	...	35,133 16 2
Railways	656,132 5 8	Judicial and Legal	...	84,810 17 5
Registration	45,592 15 8	Registration	...	23,075 13 10
Fines and Fees,—					Public Instruction (including Libraries and Expenditure on School Buildings)	...	255,863 17 4
Judicial	...	...	£ 45,358 13 7	Charitable Institutions	...	70,572 14 2
Crown Grants	...	...	12,145 5 4	Defence and Police	...	165,190 12 1
Various	...	...	26,143 11 7	Gaols and Lunatic Asylums	...	72,445 1 3
License Fees, &c.	...	...	...	Public Domains, Buildings, and Cemeteries	...	50,348 8 5
Marine Dues, Rates, &c.	...	...	...	Crown Lands and Survey	...	157,116 2 6
Land Sales and Rents	...	...	1,454,575 0 5	Railways	...	503,760 16 3
Gold Fields Revenue and Gold Duty	...	...	54,606 3 1	Public Works (being Revenue paid to County, Borough, Road, and other Local Bodies, but not including any Public Works paid for out of Loans†, School Buildings, or Railways)	...	824,531 10 3
Incidental and Miscellaneous*	...	...	100,910 3 10	Liabilities of late Provinces	...	376,002 14 1
Total Revenue	...	...	£ 4,167,889 4 3	Customs	...	40,382 5 10
Expenditure in excess of Revenue	...	...	197,386 7 10	Stamps	...	5,922 7 1
Total	...	...	£ 4,365,275 12 1	Harbours and Lights	...	42,252 0 5
				Post and Telegraphs	...	233,447 18 3	
				Retiring Allowances, Pensions, &c.	...	27,344 1 10	
				Interest and Sinking Fund...	...	1,130,997 1 4	
				Native Expenditure (including Native Land Court)	...	61,898 9 7	
				Miscellaneous Services	...	99,994 17 6	
				Total	...	£ 4,365,275 12 1	

BALANCES.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Amount raised under "The New Zealand Loan Loan Act, 1877"	300,000 0 0	Expenditure in excess of Revenue	... 197,386 7 10
Sundry Balances transferred, and Deposits	284,934 8 9	Advances from Loans Account repaid	... 300,000 0 0
Balance at beginning of the Year	676,639 16 7	Other Advances and Deposits repaid	... 272,264 11 0
		Balance at end of the Year, viz.—	
		Cash in the Public Account £ 308,591 17 3	
		Advances outstanding ... 183,331 9 3	
			491,923 6 6
			£ 1,261,574 5 4

GENERAL REVENUE OF NEW ZEALAND.—DECENNIAL TABLE.

Revenue.	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.
Total Ordinary	£ 1,072,925	£ 1,057,050	£ 964,417	£ 1,056,044	£ 1,510,600	£ 1,917,712	£ 2,125,206	£ 2,430,672	£ 2,340,841	£ 2,658,708
Total Territorial	382,070	327,589	377,699	618,772	1,265,788	1,150,900	688,722	1,149,622	1,575,182	1,509,181
Total Revenue	£ 1,454,995	£ 1,384,639	£ 1,342,116	£ 1,674,816	£ 2,776,388	£ 3,068,612	£ 2,813,928	£ 3,580,294	£ 3,916,023	£ 4,167,889

* Interest, £ 18,264 11s. 9d. Tolls, £ 4,528 os. 7d. Assets of previous years, £ 41,314 3s. 8d. Revenue of late Provinces, £ 11,181 11s. 3d. Miscellaneous, £ 25,621 16s. 7d.

† For items of expenditure out of loans raised under various Acts, see Table of "Loan Account."

GENERAL AND LOCAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

TABLE showing the Revenue Raised and the Amount Expended in New Zealand by the General Government, and by the Local Bodies, during the Year 1878.

REVENUE.			EXPENDITURE.		
		Amount Received.			Amount Expended.
General Government (for the Year ending 31st December, 1878)	... ..	£ 4,167,889 4 3	General Government (for the Year ending 31st December, 1878)	... ..	£ 4,365,275 12 1
Local Bodies (for the Financial Year ending 31st March, 1879) ... ..	... ..	£ 1,362,025 19 8	Local Bodies (for the Financial Year ending 31st March, 1879) ... ..	... ..	£ 1,630,868 16 7
Deduct amount of Receipts from General Government ... ..	... ..	790,502 11 7	Deduct Payments made by General Government as per contra side ... ..	... ..	790,502 11 7
		571,523 8 1			
Total ... ..	... ..	... ..	Total ... ..	... ..	£ 5,205,641 17 1
		£ 4,739,412 12 4			

Note.—For details of the revenue and expenditure of the several local bodies, see tables relating to Counties, Boroughs, Road Districts, and River Protective Boards. The payments out of general revenue to the local governments, as shown in the finance tables, are for the year ending 31st December, 1878; whereas the amount shown in this table is for the financial year ending 31st March, 1879. The totals therefore differ in amount in the two statements.

LOAN ACCOUNT.—EXPENDITURE, 1878.

SUMMARY of Expenditure during the Year ended 31st December, 1878, out of Loans raised under certain Acts for the Construction of Public Works and other Purposes.

Loans.	Sums Raised.	Purposes of Expenditure.	Amount Expended.
Immigration and Public Works Loan of 1870 ...	£ 122,200 0 0	Expenditure on Emigration ...	£ 102,190 14 3
New Zealand Loan of 1877 ...	2,200,000 0 0	Construction of Railways and other Works connected with Railway Extension ...	700,260 4 6
Special Receipts ...	4,151 6 7	Telegraph Extension ...	26,816 15 6
		Erection of Public Buildings ...	145,029 2 6
		Land Purchases ...	63,539 7 11
		Roads ...	45,535 16 5
		Other Works and Miscellaneous Expenditure ...	140,021 17 7
		Departmental Expenditure—Public Works ...	16,321 5 5
		Charges and Expenses of raising Loans ...	48,154 7 11
Total ...	£ 2,326,351 6 7	Receipts in Excess of Expenditure* ...	£ 1,287,869 12 0
			£ 1,038,481 14 7
		Total ...	£ 2,326,351 6 7

BALANCES.

* Receipts in Excess of Expenditure brought down	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Advances Repaid ...	1,038,481 14 7	Balance Dr. at beginning of Year ...
	354,791 13 4	Advances on Debentures of Immigration and Public Works Loan of 1870 repaid ...
		Balances of Loan Accounts transferred to Revenue Account ...
		Special Receipts transferred to Revenue Account ...
		Balance at end of Year, viz.:—
		Cash in the Public Account ... £ 391,136 5 7
Total ...	£ 1,393,273 7 11	Advances outstanding ... 399,975 18 4
		791,112 3 11
		Total ...
		£ 1,393,273 7 11

TRUST AND OTHER SPECIAL ACCOUNTS.

SUMMARY of Receipts and Payments in respect of certain Trust and Special Accounts of the General Government of New Zealand during the Year ended 31st December, 1878.

RECEIPTS.			
On what Account.	Amount Received.	On what Account.	Amount Paid.
General Account ...	£ 695,922 10 6	Government Insurance Investment Account ...	£ 15,000 0 0
Government Insurance Account ...	239,400 0 0	Consolidated Fund ...	35,673 9 4
Nelson Rifle Prize Fund Account ...	1,000 0 0	Government Insurance Account	241,983 4 6
Foreign Telegraphs Account ...	1,006 10 9	Public Trust Office Account ...	23,356 1 3
		Post Office Account ...	714,017 14 5
Total of Trust and other Special Accounts ...	937,329 1 3	Counties Separate Account ...	45,226 16 4
Payments in Excess of Receipt* ...	159,391 7 1	Other Accounts ...	21,463 2 6
Total ...	£ 1,096,720 8 4	Total of Trust and other Special Accounts ...	£ 1,096,720 8 4
	£ 1,096,720 8 4	Total ...	£ 1,096,720 8 4

BALANCES.

Balance at beginning of Year ...	£ s. d.
* Payments in Excess of Receipts brought down ...	173,559 10 9
Cash in the Public Account on 31st December, 1878 ...	£ 14,168 3 8

FINANCE ACCOUNT, 1878.
TABLE showing the Income and Expenditure of the Colonial Government of

INCOME.						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
REVENUE ACCOUNT:—						
Ordinary Revenue,—						
Customs Duties ...	1,338,	863	4	3		
" Seizures and Incidentals ...	127	11	7			
" Bonded Warehouse Duties ...	5,697	0	3			
Marine, Pilotage Rates and Harbour Dues ...	7,025	11	3			
" Lighthouse Dues ...	1,694	6	0			
" Dock Dues ...	2,360	15	4			
Stamp Duties ...	174,945	4	8			
Postal ...	103,595	5	9			
" Commission on Money Orders ...	5,741	11	2			
Telegraph ...	76,470	12	10			
Judicial Fees and Fines,—						
Supreme and District Courts ...	7,800	6	0			
Sheriffs' Offices ...	599	14	6			
Resident Magistrates' and Petty Sessions Courts ...	30,881	1	7			
Native Land Court ...	6,077	11	6			
Registration of Land and Deeds ...	39,181	11	2			
" Births, Marriages, and Deaths ...	4,998	11	0			
" Medical Practitioners ...	24	14	0			
" Joint-Stock Companies ...	1,364	14	6			
Building Societies ...	23	5	0			
Fees on issue of Crown Grants ...	12,145	5	4			
Fees and Fines under—						
" Merchant Shipping Act, 1858" ...	927	3	11			
" Land Claims Settlement Act, 1856" ...	97	6	0			
" Native Circuit Courts Act, 1858" ...	5	7	0			
" Arms Act, 1860" ...	1,996	17	0			
" Patents Acts, 1860 and 1870" ...	389	6	0			
" Lost Land Orders Act, 1861" ...	18	0	0			
" Steam Navigation Act, 1866" ...	706	17	0			
" Marine Act, 1866" ...	8,911	16	8			
" Aliens Act, 1860" ...	84	0	0			
" Oyster Fisheries Act, 1866" ...	9	0	0			
" Trade Marks Act, 1866" ...	97	15	0			
" Distillation Act, 1868" ...	645	0	0			
" Lunatics Act, 1868" ...	12	6	0			
" Merchant Ships' Officers Examination Act, 1870" ...	105	10	0			
" Inspection of Machinery Act, 1874" ...	2,109	0	0			
" Drawbacks Act, 1872" ...	5	11	0			
" Licensing Act Amendment Act, 1874" ...	657	19	3			
" Coroners Act, 1867" ...	18	7	0			
" Weights and Measures Act, 1868" ...	1	9	11			
" Licensing Ordinance Amendment Act, 1866" ...	15	0	0			
" Imperial Merchant Shipping Act, 1854" ...	0	2	6			
" Shipping and Seamen's Act, 1877" ...	2,361	3	9			
" Fish Protection Act, 1877" ...	122	5	0			
" Slaughterhouses Act, 1877" ...	20	2	6			
" Fine Arts Copyright Act, 1877" ...	9	2	0			
Inspection of Cattle and Sheep ...	6,817	4	1			
Railways ...	656,132	5	8			
Incidental Revenue,—						
Interest on Public Moneys ...	18,264	11	9			
Miscellaneous ...	25,621	16	7			
Tolls ...	4,528	0	7			
Assets of previous Years,—						
Penalty on old Postal Contract compounded	5,000	0	0			
Advance to Emigrant and Colonist's Aid Corporation repaid ...	5,000	0	0			
Recoveries on account of Expenditure of previous Years ...	31,314	3	8			
Revenues of late Provinces,—						
Miscellaneous Receipts ...	11,181	11	3			
Revenues of Local Bodies,—						
Ordinary—License Fees, &c.	55,904	2	0	2,658,708	0	9
Territorial Revenue,—						
Land Revenue ...	1,378,282	16	3			
Revenues of Local Bodies,—						
Land Sales, &c. ...	76,292	4	2			
Gold Fields Revenue ...	22,049	0	4			
Gold Duty ...	32,557	2	9			
				1,509,181	3	6
Total Ordinary and Territorial Revenue	...			4,167,889	4	3
Carried forward ...	...			4,167,889	4	3

FINANCE ACCOUNT, 1878.

New Zealand during the Year ended 31st December, 1878.

EXPENDITURE.

REVENUE ACCOUNT:—		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Ordinary Expenditure,—										
His Excellency the Governor	...	5,000	0	0						
Governor's Establishment	...	2,500	0	0						
Chief Justice and Puisne Judges	...	7,575	0	0						
Legislative and Electoral	...	53,613	18	10						
Executive	...	43,979	7	8						
Charges of the Public Debt	...	1,130,997	1	4						
under Special Acts of the General Assembly	...	27,969	9	9						
Pensions and Allowances, Civil Service	...	21,465	16	2						
Military	...	5,878	5	8						
Supreme Court and Sheriffs' Offices	...	8,025	8	7						
District, Resident Magistrates', Wardens', and Petty Sessions										
Courts	...	51,854	10	2						
Coroners, Criminal Prosecutions, &c.	...	17,355	18	8						
Native Land Court	...	9,617	14	3						
Gaols	...	39,212	13	6						
Registration of Land and Deeds	...	19,836	2	0						
Births, Marriages, and Deaths	...	3,098	8	6						
Joint-Stock Companies	...	141	3	4						
Education	...	225,863	17	4						
Public Libraries	...	5,000	0	0						
Lunatic Asylums	...	33,232	7	9						
Hospitals and Charitable Institutions	...	70,572	14	2						
Customs	...	40,382	5	10						
Stamp Office	...	5,922	7	1						
Land-Tax Office	...	409	8	1						
Postal Services	...	138,457	19	3						
Telegraph	...	94,989	19	0						
Marine	...	42,252	0	5						
Public Domains and Buildings	...	35,348	8	5						
Geological and Meteorological	...	3,666	3	1						
Printing Office, Stationery, and Extra Printing	...	35,133	16	2						
Militia and Volunteers	...	25,249	11	1						
Native Expenditure	...	52,280	15	4						
Miscellaneous	...	21,116	6	7						
Constabulary	...	136,416	9	4						
Contingent Defence	...	3,524	11	8						
Railways	...	503,760	16	3						
Subsidies paid to Counties, Boroughs, Road Boards, and River Boards	...	229,988	9	7						
Revenues of Local Bodies paid over	...	58,892	7	4						
On Account of late Provinces,—										
Provincial Liabilities	...	376,002	14	1						
					3,585,675	6	3			
Territorial Expenditure,—										
Crown Lands Department,—										
Chief Office	...	1,702	7	1						
District Offices	...	23,010	2	10						
Surveyor General's Department,—										
Chief Office	...	5,969	3	9						
Surveys	...	126,434	8	10						
Gold Fields	...	10,774	2	0						
School of Mines	...	1,450	0	0						
Westland and Nelson Coal Fields	...	467	3	6						
Gold Fields Revenue paid over to Local Bodies	...	22,083	9	5						
" Duty paid over to Local Bodies	...	31,839	11	7						
Subsidies to Local Bodies	...	18,265	18	3						
Sales, &c., of Lands made over to Local Bodies	...	75,184	0	9						
Twenty per cent. of Land Revenue paid to Counties	...	208,289	6	3						
One-third proceeds of Deferred Payments paid to Counties	...	1,850	18	0						
Surplus Land Revenue paid over to Counties	...	109,916	1	4						
Surplus Land Revenue paid to Otago Provincial Public Works										
Advances Account	...	54,791	13	4						
Inspection of Sheep	...	7,162	11	8						
School Buildings, Canterbury	...	15,000	0	0						
Canterbury College	...	10,000	0	0						
" Domains and Cemeteries	...	15,000	0	0						
Compensation for determination of Lease of Runs	...	15,282	6	10						
Wellington Patent Slip Guarantee	...	2,450	0	0						
New Plymouth Harbour Board Endowment	...	6,180	12	5						
Roads, North Islands	...	12,204	12	4						
" through Reserves, Canterbury	...	1,225	2	1						
Miscellaneous	...	3,066	13	7						
		779,600	5	10						
		4,365,275	12	1						
Carried forward	...	...	...	...	4,365,275	12	1			

FINANCE ACCOUNT, 1878.

TABLE showing the Income and Expenditure of the Colonial Government of

				INCOME.					
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
REVENUE ACCOUNT— <i>continued.</i>	Brought forward...	...	...				4,167,889	4	3
Receipts in Aid,—									
Provincial Accounts,—									
Advances for Harbour Reclamation, Wellington	...			4,925	0	0			
Amount raised under "The New Zealand Loan Act, 1877"	...			300,000	0	0			
Revenues of Local Bodies,—									
Counties Separate Account	...	...	...	8,777	12	8			
Transfers,—									
Balance of "Consolidated Loan Act, 1867," on 31st December, 1877	...	...	...	35,632	0	8			
Balance of "Defence and Other Purposes Loan, 1870," on 31st December, 1877	...	...	...	33,641	17	3			
Provincial Accounts,—									
Balance of "New Zealand Loan Act, 1876," on 31st December, 1877	...	...	...	850	8	0			
Deposits,—							383,826	18	7
Government Insurance Account	...	...	...	1,933	9	1			
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	105,332	6	9			
North Otago District Public Works Loan Account	...			9,072	17	1			
Westport-Ngakawau Coal Field Railway Account	...			4,876	14	7			
Waimakiriri Bridge Account	...	...		89	10	9			
Westland Loan Act Redemption Account	...			122	12	10			
Wellington Debts Act Redemption Account	...			56,319	15	11			
Greymouth and Brunner Coal Field Railway Account	...			3,711	10	5			
Balances on 31st December, 1877, transferred from									
Trust Fund	...	...	...	18,701	7	2			
Special Funds	...	...	...	947	5	7			
Total Revenue Account	...	...	...				201,107	10	2
LOANS ACCOUNT:—							4,752,823	13	0
Public Works Fund,—									
Immigration and Public Works Loan of 1870	...			122,200	0	0			
New Zealand Loan of 1877	...			2,200,000	0	0			
Special Receipts,—									
Under "The Railway Construction Act, 1878"	...			2,643	3	1			
Sales of Allotments	...	...	...	1,493	13	6			
Westport Colliery Reserves	...	...	...	14	10	0			
							2,326,351	6	7
Advances to Revenue Account repaid	...			300,000	0	0			
Advances under "The Otago Provincial Public Works Advances Act, 1874," repaid	...		...	54,791	13	4			
							354,791	13	4
Total Loans Account	...	...	...			
							2,681,142	19	11
TRUST AND OTHER SPECIAL ACCOUNTS:—									
Trust Fund,—									
Receipts and Transfers	...	...	...	937,329	1	3			
Total of Trust and Other Special Accounts	...	...	...			
							937,329	1	3
Total	...	...	...			
							8,371,295	14	2
Carried forward	...	...	...			
							8,371,295	14	2

FINANCE ACCOUNT, 1878.

New Zealand during the Year ended 31st December, 1878—continued.

				EXPENDITURE.					
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
REVENUE ACCOUNT— <i>continued.</i>	Brought forward ...	...	...	...	...	...	4,365	275	12 1
Transfers,—									
Provincial Accounts,—									
Advances from Loans Account repaid ...	...	...	...	300,000	0	0			
Advance on Debentures of Lyttelton Harbour Loan repaid ...	...	...	...	100,000	0	0			
Accounts of Local Bodies,—									
Local Bodies Advance Account	...	...	...	1,855	3	8	401,855	3	8
Deposits,—									
Post Office Savings Bank Account	...	...	...	48	19	4			
Government Insurance Account	...	...	...	5,097	14	2			
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	88,978	2	1			
New Plymouth Harbour Board Endowment Account	...	...	...	935	15	7			
Hurunui-Greta Bridge Account	...	...	...	147	12	6			
Waimakiriri Bridge Account	...	...	...	1,571	5	4			
Westport-Ngakawau Coal Field Railway Account	...	...	...	4,876	14	7			
Wellington Debts Act Redemption Account	...	...	...	56,319	15	11			
North Otago District Public Works Loan Account	...	...	...	8,599	4	7			
Westland Loan Act Redemption Account	...	...	...	122	12	10			
Greymouth and Brunner Coal Field Railway Account	...	...	...	3,711	10	5			
Total Revenue Account	...	...	...	170,409	7	4			
LOANS ACCOUNT:—							4,937,540	3	1
Public Works Account,—									
Immigration	...	...	...	102,190	14	3			
Departmental—Public Works	...	...	...	16,321	5	5			
Railways	...	...	...	700,260	4	6			
Roads	...	...	...	45,535	16	5			
Land Purchases	...	...	...	63,539	7	11			
Waterworks on Gold Fields	...	...	...	24,577	18	1			
Coal Mines	...	...	...	416	8	11			
Telegraph Extension	...	...	...	26,816	15	6			
Public Buildings	...	...	...	145,029	2	6			
Lighthouses	...	...	...	17,757	8	6			
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	87,494	8	7			
Unauthorized	...	...	...	9,775	13	6			
Charges and Expenses of raising Loans	...	...	...	48,154	7	11			
Advances on Debentures of Immigration and Public Works Loan, 1870, outstanding on 31st Dec., 1877, repaid				1,287,869	12	0			
Special Receipts transferred to Revenue Account,—									
Westport Colliery Reserves	...	...	...	1,050	12	6			
Sales of Allotments	...	...	...	2,947	9	2			
Total Loans Account	...	...	...	428,998	1	8			
Consolidated Loan, 1867—Balance transferred to Revenue Account				1,716,867	13	8			
Defence and Other Purposes Loan, 1870—Balance transferred to Revenue Account									
New Zealand Loan, 1876—Balance transferred to Revenue Account									
Total Trust and Other Special Accounts:—									
Balances on 31st December, 1877, paid or transferred,—									
Trust Fund	...	...	...	1,030,030	9	6			
Waitara Bridge Account	...	...	...	11	10	0			
New Plymouth Harbour Board Account	...	...	...	935	15	7			
" Wellington Debts Act, 1872 "	...	...	...	5,444	1	9			
" North Otago District Public Works Loan Act, 1872 "	...	...	...	8,589	2	0			
" Westland Loan Act, 1873," Redemption Account	...	...	...	478	18	3			
Counties Separate Account	...	...	...	45,226	16	4			
Undistributed	...	...	...	1,090,716	13	5			
Total Trust and Other Special Accounts	...	...	...	6,003	14	11			
Carried forward ...	...	...	...	1,096,720	8	4			
				7,821,252	11	0			
				7,821,252	11	0			

FINANCE ACCOUNT, 1878.

TABLE showing the Income and Expenditure of the Colonial Government of

INCOME.					
Brought forward...			£	s.	d.
BALANCES :—			...	...
Revenue Account,—					8,371,295 14 2
Balance at the beginning of the Year,—					
Cash in the Public Account	...	...	483,540	18	7
Advances Outstanding,—					
Colonial	...	...	£131,193	10	4
Foreign	...	...	61,905	7	8
			193,098	18	0
Trust and Other Special Accounts,—					676,639 16 7
Balance at beginning of the Year,—					
Cash in the Public Account	...	...	169,288	12	6
Advances Outstanding,—					
Colonial	...	...	£4,221	18	11
Foreign	...	...	48	19	4
			4,270	18	3
Total ...	...	...	...
					850,199 7 4
					£9,221,495 1 6

FINANCE ACCOUNT, 1878.

FINANCIAL ACCOUNT, 1878.

New Zealand during the Year ended 31st December, 1878—*continued.*

EXPENDITURE.										
					£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
BALANCES :—										
Revenue Account,—										
Balance at the end of the Year,—										
Cash in the Public Account	...	...	...	...	308,591	17	3			
Advances outstanding,—										
Colonial	...	...	...	...	£123,006	14	0			
Foreign	...	...	...	...	60,324	15	3			
					<u>183,331</u>	9	3			
								491,923	6	6
Loans Account,—										
Debit Balance at beginning of the Year,—										
Debit Balance, Public Account	...	...	...	...	292,242	15	0			
Less Advances to be accounted for,—										
Colonial	...	...	...	...	£58,589	1	0			
Foreign	...	...	...	...	130,614	17	7			
					<u>189,203</u>	18	7			
								103,038	16	5
Credit Balance at end of the Year,—										
Cash in the Public Account	...	...	...	...	391,136	5	7			
Advances outstanding,—										
Colonial	...	...	...	...	£67,687	19	9			
Foreign	...	...	...	...	332,287	18	7			
					<u>399,975</u>	18	4			
								791,112	3	11
Trust and Other Special Accounts,—										
Balance at end of the Year,—										
Cash in the Public Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,168	3	8
Total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
								1,400,242	10	6
								£9,221,495	1	6

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.

TABLE showing the General Government Expenditure on the Construction of New Zealand Railways, out of Moneys authorized to be raised under "The Immigration and Public Works Loan Act, 1870;" the Cost of Maintenance and Amount of Receipts from Lines opened for Traffic; together with the Number of Miles Constructed and under Construction respectively, at the end of each Year from 1870 to 1878 inclusive.

Year.	Construction.	Receipts.	Cost of Maintenance.	Number of Miles	
				Constructed.	Under Construction.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
1870	467 19 5	...	...	...	...
1871	108,106 4 10	...	...	...	...
1872	292,851 12 1	...	...	...	...
1873	830,945 13 6	...	...	145	434
1874	1,564,576 11 8	8,650 2 6	6,300 11 4	209	621
1875	1,780,674 15 3	21,198 14 10	38,142 2 4	524	464
1876	1,432,191 3 0	83,049 4 10	72,073 18 6	718	427
1877	756,047 11 3	470,796 12 5	359,865 15 3	1,052	251
1878	700,260 4 6	656,132 5 8	503,760 16 3	1,089	142
Totals	7,466,121 15 6	1,239,827 0 3	980,143 3 8	*1,089	*142

* These numbers are for the 30th June, 1879.

NOTE.—The small lines of railway constructed by the late Provincial Governments prior to the Abolition of Provinces Act are included in the total of 1,052 miles, but the cost of their construction and maintenance, with the amounts received for traffic up to the time that the Act came into operation, are not taken into account in this table.

EXPENDITURE ON IMMIGRATION.

TABLE showing the General Government Expenditure on Immigration to New Zealand during each Year from the passing of "The Immigration and Public Works Act, 1870," to 1878, inclusive.

Year.	Amount Expended.		
	£	s.	d.
1871	17,081	2	3
1872	37,911	5	1
1873	142,646	13	3
1874	426,233	12	2
1875	447,578	12	4
1876	323,708	15	10
1877	140,828	4	11
1878	102,190	14	3
Total	1,638,179	0	1

NOTE.—A further expenditure on immigration of £74,409 10s. 5d. was incurred by the late Provincial Governments between 1871 and 1876 inclusive.

LIST OF CUSTOMS DUTIES LEVIABLE.

TABLE showing the List of Customs Import Duties Leviable under "The Customs Tariff Act, 1866," The Customs Tariff Act Amendment Act, 1867," "The Customs Tariff Act, 1871," "The Customs Tariff Act, 1873," and "The Customs Tariff Act, 1878."

Names of Articles.	Rates of Duty.	Names of Articles.	Rates of Duty.
	s. d.		s. d.
Ale, porter, beer of all sorts, cider and perry in bottle	1 3 the gallon.	Clocks and watches	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Ditto, in bulk...	1 0	Cotton manufactures not otherwise enumerated, and all articles made of cotton mixed with any other material	" "
Almonds, in shell	0 1	Cotton counterpanes	" "
" shelled	0 3	Cream of tartar	0 1 the lb.
Ammunition—Sporting powder	0 6	Curry powder and paste	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Apparel and ready-made clothing, and all articles made up wholly or in part from silk, cotton, linen, or wool, or of other or of mixed materials	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Cutlery	" "
Apples, dried	0 1 the lb.	Desks	" "
Arms, fire arms	5 0 each.	Doors, of wood	1 0 each.
Bagging and bags not otherwise enumerated ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Drapery not otherwise enumerated ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Baking powder	" the "	Dressing-cases ...	" "
Bicarbonate of soda	1 0 the cwt.	Drugs and druggists' sundries, and apothecaries' wares ...	" "
Biscuits, plain and unsweetened ...	3 0	Drugget ...	" "
" fancy	0 2 the lb.	Earthenware ...	" "
Bitters	12 0 the gallon.	Engravings, prints, drawings, paintings, and pictures ...	" "
Blacking	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Essences, flavouring ...	" "
Blacklead	" "	Fish, dried, pickled ...	2 0 the cwt.
Blankets	" "	Fish, potted and preserved ...	1d. per pound or reputed package of that weight, and so in proportion for packages of greater or less reputed weight.
Blind cord and tape	" "	"	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Blue	0 1 the lb.	Floor-cloth ...	" "
Bonnets	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Forfar sheeting ...	" "
Boots and shoes— Men's, No. 6 and upwards	12 0 ₧ doz. pairs.	Fruits, bottled ...	" "
Youths', Nos. 1 to 5	10 0 "	" preserved in syrup ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Boys', Nos. 10 to 13	6 0 "	" dried ...	0 1 the lb.
Women's, No. 3 and upwards ...	8 0 "	Furniture and cabinetwork ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Girls', Nos. 10 to 2 ...	6 0 "	Furs ...	" "
" Nos. 7 to 9 ...	5 0 "	Gelatine ...	" "
Children's, Nos. 0 to 6, and slippers ...	2 0 "	Glass, crown and sheet ...	1 0 the cwt. sup.
Women's lasting and stuff boots, without military heels ...	5 0 "	" plate ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Goloshes of all kinds ...	2 6 "	Globes and chimneys for lamps ...	" "
Slippers, without military heels, other than children's ...	3 0 "	Glassware ...	" "
Boot and shoe vamps and uppers ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Glucose ...	" "
Brass manufactures not otherwise enumerated ...	" "	Grindery ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Brushware not otherwise enumerated, and brooms ...	" "	Hardware ...	" "
Buckets, of wood ...	" "	Haberdashery ...	" "
Buckets and tubs, of iron ...	" "	Hair-brushes ...	" "
Candied peel	0 3 the lb.	Harness ...	" "
Candles, tallow	0 1 2 "	Hats ...	" "
" other than tallow ...	0 1 "	Hessians ...	" "
Capers	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Holloware ...	" "
Caps, apparel	" "	Hops ...	0 3 per lb.
" percussion	1 0 the 1,000.	Horse-shoes ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Cards, playing	0 6 the pack.	Hosiery ...	" "
Carpet-bags	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Ink, writing ...	" "
Carpets	" "	Iron, staples, and standards, straining posts and apparatus ...	1 0 the cwt.
" of hemp, coir, or jute ...	" "	Iron gates and gate-posts ...	4 0 "
Caraway seeds ...	" "	Iron galvanized sheets, tiles, ridging, guttering, spouting, rivets, washers, screws, nails, and wire netting ...	1 0 "
Carriages, carts, drays, and wagons ...	" "	Ironmongery ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Carriage and cart wheels ...	" "	Isinglass ...	" "
Catsup ...	" "	Jams, jellies, marmalade, and preserves ...	1d. per pound or reputed package of that weight, and so in proportion for packages of greater or less reputed weight.
Cement and plaster of Paris ...	1 0 the barrel.	Japanned and lacquered metal ware ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Chicory ...	0 3 the lb.	Jewellery ...	" "
China-ware, porcelain, and parian-ware ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Lamps, lanterns, and lamp-wick ...	" "
Chocolate	0 3 the lb.	Lasts and shoemakers' wooden pegs ...	" "
Chutney	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Lead and composition piping ...	2 6 the cwt.
Cigars	5 0 the lb.	" manufactures not otherwise enumerated ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Cocoa	0 3 "		
Coffee, raw	0 3 "		
" roasted	0 5 "		
" essence of	10 per cent. ad valorem.		
Collars and cuffs, of paper or other material ...	" "		
Combs	" "		
Confectionery not otherwise enumerated ...	" "		
Confectionery, viz., boiled sugars, comfits, lozenges, Scotch mixtures, and sugar candy ...	0 2 the lb.		
Copper manufactures not otherwise enumerated ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.		
Copying presses	" "		
Cordials	12 0 the gallon.		

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Names of Articles.	Rates of Duty.	Names of Articles.	Rates of Duty.
Leather, sole ...	s. d. o $\frac{1}{2}$ the lb.	Sauces ...	s. d. 2s. per doz. reputed pints, and in the same proportion for larger or smaller sizes.
" other kinds ...	o 1	Sashes, window ...	1 o the pair.
" bags ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Scrim cloth ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
" cut into shapes ...	" "	Shirts, white, regatta, crimean, navy serge, twilled, and fancy ...	10 " o the cwt.
" cloth bags ...	" "	Shot ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
" cloth ...	" "	Silks, and all manufactures containing silk ...	5 o the lb.
" leggings ...	" "	Snuff ...	3 6 the cwt.
" manufactures not otherwise enumerated ...	" "	Soap, common ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
rated ...	" "	" scented and fancy ...	10 " o the cwt.
Linen manufactures not otherwise enumerated, and all articles made of linen mixed with any other materials ...	12 o the gallon.	" powder, and washing powder ...	5 o the lb.
Liqueurs ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Soda crystals ...	3 6 the cwt.
Liquorice ...	" "	Solid wort ...	1 o the lb.
Looking-glasses ...	" "	Spices—Cassia, cinnamon, cloves, ginger, mace, nutmegs, mixed and ground spices	o 6 the lb.
Malt ...	1 6 the bushel.	Spirits and strong waters of every kind, sweetened or otherwise, of any strength not exceeding the strength of proof by Sykes's hydrometer, and so on in proportion for any greater strength than the strength of proof ...	12 o the gallon.
Mantel-pieces ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Starch ...	3 o the cwt.
Matches and wax vestas ...	" "	Stationery and account books ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Mats ...	" "	Sugar, treacle, and molasses ...	o $\frac{1}{2}$ the lb.
Matting ...	" "	Sulphur ...	1 o the cwt.
Meats, potted and preserved ...	" "	Syrups ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Millinery ...	" "	Tacks ...	o 1 the lb.
Musical instruments ...	" "	Tartaric acid ...	o 4 the gallon.
Mustard ...	o 1 the lb.	Tea ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Nails ...	2 o the cwt.	Tinware ...	2 6 the lb.
Naphtha ...	o 6 the gallon.	Tobacco ...	o 3 the cwt.
Nuts of all kinds, except cocoanuts ...	o 1 the lb.	Tobacco for sheepwash, subject to its being rendered unfit for human consumption, and to such regulations as the Commissioner of Customs shall from time to time pre- scribe in that behalf ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Oil, vegetable, in bulk (except olive and palm) ...	o 6 the gallon.	Toys and fancy goods ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
" or other, in bottle ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Trousers, moleskin and cord ...	" "
" mineral ...	o 6 the gallon.	Twine ...	" "
" perfumed ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Tubs, of wood ...	" "
" not otherwise described ...	o 6 the gallon.	Turnery ...	" "
Olives ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Trunks ...	o 6 the gallon.
Opium ...	20 o the lb.	Turpentine ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Oysters, preserved ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Umbrellas and parasols ...	o 6 the gallon.
Paints, mixed ready for use ...	2 o the cwt.	Varnish ...	o 6 the gallon.
Paper, writing, not otherwise enumerated ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Vinegar ...	o 6 the gallon.
Paper, wrapping, brown ...	2 o the cwt.	Vegetables, preserved ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
" other kinds ...	2 6 "	Weighing machines ...	" "
" bags ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Whips and walking-sticks ...	" "
" hangings ...	5 o "	Whiting and chalk ...	1 o the cwt.
Papier maché ware ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Wine, in wood and bottle, containing less than 25 per cent. of alcohol of a specific gravity of .825 at the temperature of 60 degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer, the gallon, or for six reputated quart bottles, or twelve reputated pint bottles ...	4 o the gallon.
Pearl barley ...	1 o the cwt.	Wine, sparkling ...	6 o "
Pepper and pimento, unground ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Wine, Australian, containing not more than 35 degrees of proof spirits, verified by Sykes's hydrometer, the gallon, or for six reputated quart bottles, or twelve reputated pint bottles ...	2 o "
" cayenne ...	1 o the 1,000.	Woollen manufactures not otherwise enum- erated, and all articles made of wool mixed with any other materials ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Percussion caps ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Woolpacks ...	2 6 per dozen.
Perfumery ...	9d. per dozen pints or re- puted pints, and in the same proportion for larger or smaller sizes.	Woodenware not otherwise enumerated ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Pickles ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	Zinc, sheet ...	1 o per cwt.
Picture frames ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.	" tiles, ridging, guttering, and piping ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Pipes, tobacco ...	" "	" manufactures not otherwise enumerated ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.
Plate, gold and silver ...	" "		
Platedware ...	" "		
Portmanteaus ...	o 9 the 100 lb.		
Pulse of every kind not otherwise enumerated ...			
Pulse of every kind not otherwise enumerated, when ground or in any way prepared or manufactured ...	1 o "		
Raspberry vinegar ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.		
Rice ...	o $\frac{1}{2}$ the lb.		
" ground ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.		
Rope and cordage ...	5 o per cwt.		
Rugs, woollen, cotton, or opossum ...	10 per cent. ad valorem.		
Saddlery ...	" "		
Sad irons ...	" "		
Safes, iron ...	" "		
Sardines ...	Same as fish, potted and preserved.		

NOTE.—The only export duty is the gold duty, as set forth in "The Gold Duties Act, 1872."

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THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES ARE EXEMPT FROM DUTY:—

Accoutrements.	Felt for sheathing.	Machinery for agricultural purposes,	Resin.
Anchors.	Filters.	boring, brick and tile making,	Sago.
Anvils.	Fire-engines and hose.	planing, punching, sawing,	Sail-cloth.
Arrowroot.	Fireworks.	shearing, turning, and quartz-	Salt-petre.
Arsenic.	Fish oil, in bulk.	crushing.	School-books, slates, and apparatus
Axes, axle-arms, and boxes.	Flour bags.	Machinery for mills and looms.	Sewing-machines.
Bacon and hams.	Forges.	steam vessels.	Ship-chandlery, not otherwise de-
Baskets and wickerware.	Gas pipes and machinery, and all	wool & hay pressing.	scribed.
Beef, salted.	materials which may be specially	Machine saws.	Ships' blocks.
Bellows.	imported for the construction of	Maizena and corn-flour.	Silk, for flour-dressing.
Blacksmiths' bellows.	gasworks.	Maps and charts.	Soda ash and caustic soda.
Blasting powder.	Grain, ground.	Oil, olive, in bulk.	Soda-water machines.
Bookbinders' cloth.	Grain, not otherwise enumerated.	," palm.	Spirits of tar.
Boat elastic.	Groats, prepared.	," candlenut.	Steam-engines and parts of steam-
Bottles of all kinds (empty).	Glue.	Organs, harmoniums, bells, and	engines.
Brass, in pigs, bars, or sheets.	Gutta percha manufactures, not	furniture, specially imported for	Steel.
Building materials, not otherwise	being wearing apparel, and not	places of worship.	Swords.
enumerated.	otherwise enumerated.		
Butter.	Hair seating, curled hair, uphol-	Paints, wet or dry, other than paints	Tapioca.
Cabin furniture and effects, which	sterers' webbing, and metal	mixed ready for use.	Tarpaulins.
have been in use and not im-	springs.	Paper, writing, of sizes not less	Timber, sawn.
ported for sale.	Hatters' silk plush, felt hoods, and	than the size known as "demy,"	," shingles and laths.
Card and mill-boards.	shellac.	when in original wrappers and	," palings.
Carriage and cart shafts, spokes,	Hogskins and saddletrees.	with uncut edges, as it leaves	," posts and rails.
felloes, and naves, in the rough.	Iron bridges, and all material	the mill.	," tin, in pigs, bars, or sheets.
Carriage springs, mountings, and	which may be specially im-	Passengers' baggage.	Tools, artificers'.
trimmings.	ported for the construction of	Peas, split.	Treacle and molasses when mixed
Chain cables, and shackles over $\frac{1}{2}$	bridges, wharves, jetties, or	Perambulators.	with bone-black in such propor-
an inch diameter.	or patent slips.	Photographic goods.	tions and under such regulations
Chains, of iron.	Iron, common or black sheet.	Pitch and tar.	as the Commissioner of Customs
Cheese.	," lamp posts.	Ploughs and harrows.	may prescribe in that behalf.
Churns.	," plates, rivets, bolts, nuts,	Pork, salted.	
Clogs and pattens.	screws, and castings for	Printed books, papers, and music.	Vegetables, dried.
Copper and composition rod, bolts,	ships.	Printing machinery, presses, type,	Vermicelli.
sheathing, and nails.	," rod, bolt, bar, hoop, and pig.	and materials; printing ink and	
Copper, in pigs, bars, or sheets.	," tanks.	paper.	Water pipes not otherwise de-
Cork soles.	," weighbridges for carts.	Provisions, preserved, not otherwise	scribed, and all material which
Corn sacks.	," wire.	enumerated.	may be specially imported for
Corn sieves and riddles.	Lead, in pigs, bars, or sheets.	Pumps and other apparatus for	the purpose of constructing
Cotton waste.	Maccaroni.	raising water.	waterworks.
Crab-winches, cranes, capstans,		Railway plant, and all materials	
and windlasses.		which may be specially imported	And all other articles not other-
Drainage pipes and tiles.		for the construction of railways	wise described.

WILLIAM SEED,
Secretary and Inspector of Customs.

RETURN OF CUSTOMS DUTIES COLLECTED.

RETURN of the Customs Revenue at the several Ports during the Year 1878.

WILLIAM SEED,
Secretary of Customs.

TABLE of the Public Debt of New Zealand, showing the Debentures and Treasury Bills in Circulation on 31st December, 1878, under the several Loan Acts or Ordinances of the Colonial and Provincial Governments, the Dates when Redeemable, the Sinking Funds Accrued in respect of the same, and the Annual Charge thereon for Interest and Sinking Fund.

Debentures and Treasury Bills.		Sinking Funds.		Annual Charge.	
Loans.	Amount Authorized.	Amount in Circulation.	When Redemable.	Amount Accrued.	In what Manner Invested.
Under Acts of the Colonial Government:—					
Ordinance of Legislative Council	£ 311	£ 311	On presentation	...	
" New Zealand Loan Act, 1856 "	500,000	†500,000	£375,000 Jan, 1888 £25,000 Oct, 1888 £50,000 June, 1894	325,691 7 10	{ In Bonds of the New Zealand Government— viz., £100,000 in 4½ per cents., and £225,600 in 5 per cents.
" New Zealand Loan Act, 1860 "	150,000	93,100	1 July, 1891	51,210 8	o In Bonds of the New Zealand Defence Loan, £40,850; of the Immigration and Public Works Loan, £3,200; of the Canterbury Rivers Act, £5,740; and in New Zealand Treasury Bills, £1,300; also £68 4s. deposited with Bank of New Zealand at 5 per cent.
" New Zealand Loan Act, 1863 "	3,000,000	1,519,400	£488,000 15 July, 1914 †£500,000 1 Nov., 1915 £201,500 15 Mar., 1891 £236,000 15 June, 1891 £93,900 15 Dec., 1891	355,754 14 4	{ In Bonds of the New Zealand Government— viz., £69,600 in 4½ per cents.; £277,100 in 5 per cents., and £8,900 in 6 per cents.
" Consolidated Loan Act, 1867 "	7,000,000	4,660,100	£4,583,100 about 36 years from issue £64,000 1 Jan., 1893 £13,000 15 April, 1913		{ 5 years from issue £600,000 about 36 years from issue £59,000 31 Dec., 1885 £20,000 1 July, 1880 £75,000 15 April, 1913 £5,000 25 June, 1881 £25,000 15 July, 1906
" Defence and Other Purposes Loan Act, 1870 "	1,000,000	1,000,000			{ £731,700 in Debentures of the same Loans, and £55,746 3s. 9d. awaiting annual draw- ing in March, 1879
" Immigration and Public Works Loan Act, 1870 "	4,000,000	3,200,000	£2,100,000 about 36 years from issue £372,100 15 April, 1913 £220,000 1 June, 1907 £200,000 1 Feb., 1904 £27,900 15 April, 1882 Not later than 1 Nov., 1902	807,446 3 9	{ £731,700 in Debentures of the same Loans, and £55,746 3s. 9d. awaiting annual draw- ing in March, 1879
" North Otago District Public Works Loan Act, 1872,	70,000	38,900		8,686 5	3 The Sinking Fund accrued to 30th Dec., 1878, has been applied to the redemption of Debent- ures of this Loan to the amount of £31,100
Carried forward	11,011,811		...	1,548,788 19 2
					9,463,922 0 10
					537,434 10 0
					112,201 0 0
					649,655 10 0

PUBLIC DEBT.
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Loans.	Debentures and Treasury Bills,			Sinking Funds,			Net Indebtedness.	Annual Charge.	
	Amount Authorized.	Amount in Circulation.	When Redeemable.	Amount Accrued.	In what Manner Invested.	Interest.	Sinking Fund.		
					Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	
Under Acts of the Colonial Government— <i>contd.</i>									
“ General Purposes Loan Act, 1873”	... 750,000	750,000	\$12,300, 15 May, 1914 49,500, 15 Dec., 1881 20,900, 15 Oct., 1883 18,500, 15 Oct., 1913 6,200, 15 Oct., 1885 142,600, Various *500,000, 15 July, 1906 15 April, 1894	1,548,788 19 2	\$ s. d.	9,463,022 0 10 ...	s. d. $\frac{1}{10}$...	£ s. d.	s. d.
“ Westland Loan Act, 1873”	... 50,000	50,000	... 622 13 2	Deposited with Bank of New Zealand at $5\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. interest	750,000 0 0 ...	36,952 0 0 ...	36,952 0 0 ...	36,952 0 0	
“ Immigration and Public Works Loan Act, 1873”	... 2,000,000	1,150,000 *500,000	1 Feb., 1904 15 July, 1906	... 2,000,000 0 0 ...	49,377 6 10 5	2,500 0 0 ...	2,500 0 0 ...	2,500 0 0	
“ Immigration and Public Works Loan Act, 1874”	... 4,000,000	4,000,000	1 Feb., 1905	... 4,000,000 0 0 ...	2,000,000 0 0 ...	92,500 0 0 ...	92,500 0 0 ...	92,500 0 0	
“ Wellington Debts Act, 1876”	... 58,000	58,000	\$16,500, 30 June, 1878 25,000, 30 June, 1879 16,500, 30 June, 1882	... 58,000 0 0 { Deposited with Bank of New Zealand at $5\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. interest	4,000,000 0 0 ...	180,000 0 0 ...	180,000 0 0 ...	180,000 0 0	
“ New Zealand Loan Act, 1876”	... 1,000,000	§1,000,000	1 March, 1918	... 1,000,000 0 0 ...	1,000,000 0 0 ...	50,000 0 0 ...	50,000 0 0 ...	50,000 0 0	
“ New Zealand Loan Act, 1877”	... 2,500,000	§2,500,000	1 March, 1918	... 2,500,000 0 0 ...	2,500,000 0 0 ...	125,000 0 0 ...	125,000 0 0 ...	125,000 0 0	
Treasury Bills:—									
“ Treasury Bills Extended Currency Act, 1873”	400,000	180,000	1 Nov., 1882	... 180,000 0 0 ...	180,000 0 0 ...	9,239 1 3 ...	9,239 1 3 ...	9,239 1 3	
“ Financial Arrangements Act, 1876”	150,000	150,000	\$126,100, 1 Nov., 1880 23,900, 1 Nov., 1881	... 150,000 0 0 ...	150,000 0 0 ...	7,699 4 4 ...	7,699 4 4 ...	7,699 4 4	
Under Acts or Ordinances of the late Provincial Governments:—									
“ Auckland Loan Act, 1863”	500,000	31,600	33 years from date of issue	7,224 7 10 In Bonds of the New Zealand Defence Loan, £6,070 of the Immigration and Public Works Loan, £40; of the Canterbury Rivers Act, £100; and in New Zealand Treasury Bills, £140: also £8747s. rod. deposited with Bank of New Zealand at $5\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.	24,375 12 2	6 1,896 0 0 2	632 0 0 2	632 0 0 2	
“ Wellington Loan Act, 1866”	... 50,000	||13,500	1 July, 1886	... 5,187 16 4 In Bonds of the New Zealand Defence Loan, £3,840 of the Canterbury Rivers Act, £770; and in New Zealand Treasury Bills, £250; also £325 4d. deposited with Bank of New Zealand at $5\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.	8,312 3 8	8 1,080 0 0 2	270 0 0 2	270 0 0 2	
Carried forward ...				21,744,911	20,125,087 3 6 ..	1,047,220 15 7	113,103 0 0 113,103 0 0	1,160,323 15 7	

* Redeemable in any year after 1880, but not later than 15th July, 1906. † Redeemable in any year after 1879, but not later than 1st February, 1904. § Redeemable in any year after 1888, but not later than 1st March, 1918. || This replaced “The Wellington Loan Act, 1857,” due 1st January, 1857.

TABLE of the Public Debt of New Zealand, showing the Debentures and Treasury Bills in Circulation on 31st December, 1878, under the several Loan Acts or Ordinances of the Colonial and Provincial Governments, the Dates when Redeemable, the Sinking Funds Accrued in respect of the same, and the Annual Charge thereon for Interest and Sinking Fund—*continued.*

Loans.	Debentures and Treasury Bills.				Sinking Funds.				Annual Charge.								
	Amount Authorized.	Amount in Circulation.	When Redeemable.	Amount Accrued.	In what Manner Invested.				Total.								
	£	£	£	s.	d.	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Brought forward ...	21,744,911	21,744,911	...	1,610,823	16	...	...	20,125,087	3	6	7	1,16,323	15	7			
Under Acts or Ordinances of the late Provincial Governments—continued.	...	...	...	5,116	17	6	In Bonds of the New Zealand Defence Loan, £4,140; of the Immigration and Public Works Loan, £20; of the Canterbury Rivers Act, £440; and in New Zealand Treasury Bills, £230; also £276 13s. 6d. deposited with Bank of New Zealand at 5 per cent.	1,083	2	6	496	0	2	124	0	620	0
“ Nelson Waterworks Loan Act, 1864 ” ...	20,000	6,200	1 Jan., 1881	...	18,000	...	...	18,000	0	7	1,260	0	...	1,260	0	6,216	0
“ Nelson Loan Act, 1874 ” ...	...	...	...	30,000	18,000	...	...	25,317	7	6	4,662	0	2	1,554	0	6,216	0
“ Lyttelton and Christchurch Railway Loan Ordinance, 1860 ” ...	300,000	77,700	...	22,800	50	Years from date of issue	...	1,430	0	10	1,368	0	1	228	0	1,396	0
“ Canterbury Loan Ordinance, 1862 ” ...	500,000	500,000	1 July, 1898	...	26,438	18	...	90,261	1	11	7,002	0	1	1,167	0	8,169	0
“ Otago Loan Ordinance, 1862 ” ...	500,000	116,700	1 July, 1898	...	21,986,311	...	...	20,308,183	19	7	1,062,008	15	7	116,176	0	1,178,184	15
Advances on Security of Debentures and Treasury Bills:—	...	...	...	...	1,678,127	0	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
“ Immigration and Public Works Loan Act, 1870 ” ...	120,000	...	...	...	120,000	0	0	120,000	0	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Treasury Bills:—	...	...	...	...	220,000	0	0	220,000	0	0	5	...	...	...	...	...	...
“ Treasury Bills Extended Currency Act, 1873 ” ...	...	...	...	...	112,000	0	0	112,000	0	0	5	...	...	...	...	...	...
“ Treasury Bills Extended Currency Act, 1876 ” ...	...	...	...	...	60,000	0	0	60,000	0	0	5	...	...	...	...	...	...
“ Treasury Bills Extended Currency Act, 1876 ” ...	...	...	...	...	110,000	0	0	110,000	0	0	6	...	...	...	...	...	...
“ Appropriation Act, 1876 ” ...	...	...	...	...	22,608,311	0	5	20,930,183	19	7	1,062,008	15	7	116,176	0	1,178,184	15

* Rate of interest various. † No interest payable.

ACCUMULATION.

BANKS.—LIABILITIES, ASSETS, CAPITAL, AND PROFITS.

TABLE showing the average Liabilities and Assets of the several Banks in New Zealand, in respect of their Transactions within the Colony, during the Year 1878; also showing their Capital and Profits.

Banks.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	LIABILITIES.				Deposits.				Bearing Interest.				Total Average Liabilities.				
				£	s.	d.	£	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Bank of New Zealand ...	... ..	... ..	... ..	496,745	5	4	25,936	16	6	30,510	19	3	655	19	1	1,767,178	13	5
Union Bank of Australia ...	... ..	... ..	... ..	1,31,683	12	9	503	18	1	655	19	1	5,46,605	4	7	999,233	8	7
Bank of New South Wales ...	... ..	... ..	... ..	88,475	18	5	6,021	4	10	5,19	11	4	283,490	14	3	442,293	4	6
Bank of Australasia ...	... ..	... ..	... ..	52,844	13	2	... ..	... ..	... ..	19,528	0	2	175,930	18	9	335,286	10	10
National Bank of New Zealand (Limited) ...	... ..	... ..	... ..	109,538	0	7	6,359	10	3	1,721	19	3	337,926	1	9	492,906	5	4
Colonial Bank of New Zealand ...	... ..	... ..	... ..	85,778	5	4	9,164	8	6	9,164	8	6	306,739	8	3	384,642	16	8
Totals ...	... ..	... ..	... ..	965,045	15	7	70,376	15	8	35,217	11	7	983,626	7	10	4,500,671	16	11
																4,500,671	16	11		
																10,031,009	8	7		
ASSETS.																				
Banks,	Coined Gold and Silver, and other Coined Metals.	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills Discounted.	Government Securities.	Other Funded Securities.	Debts due to the Bank, exclusive of Debts abandoned as Bad.	Debts due to the Bank, not included under other Heads.	Total Average Assets.									
									£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Bank of New Zealand	662,891	11	3	77,552	18	6	22,587	14	4	1,6,930	10	9	64,776	7	5	2,74,450	14	9	
Union Bank of Australia	371,583	8	6	8,493	3	11	2,905	9	1	3,308	2	5	60,838	9	3	89,381	14	8	
Bank of New South Wales	332,081	1	0	2,329	5	4	2,093	5	3	11,748	13	10	35,047	7	7	54,472	1	0	
Bank of Australasia	88,091	16	2	1,191	4	2	1,802	12	1	23,822	1	2	45,256	17	7	396,559	18	8	
National Bank of N.Z. (Limited)	192,544	2	1	22,217	1	9	4,618	15	9	10,069	14	2	62,332	9	4	827,252	13	2	
Colonial Bank of New Zealand	100,177	4	2	14,712	5	11	1,522	9	5	2,101	8	4	29,883	16	3	576,838	8	0	
Totals	1,747,369	3	2	147,495	19	7	35,930	5	11	44,158	9	6	276,705	11	0	5,980,798	4	7	
									£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
									287,846	3	0	6,869	4	7	6,563,762	19	3	393,594	9	3
																		15,393,630	5	7
CAPITAL AND PROFITS.																				
Banks.	Capital paid up.								Rate per Annum of last Dividend.											
Bank of New Zealand	Fifteen per cent.	54,375	0	0
Union Bank of Australia	Sixteen per cent.	110,000	0	0
Bank of New South Wales	Seventeen and a half per cent.	87,500	0	0
Bank of Australasia	Twelve and a half per cent.	75,000	0	0
National Bank of New Zealand (Limited)	Six per cent.	10,500	0	0
Colonial Bank of New Zealand	Seven per cent.	11,500	6	0
Totals	348,875	6	0
																		2,228,800	12	0

Note.—The liabilities and assets given above are the averages of the amounts shown in the four quarterly returns furnished by the respective Banks, in terms of "The Banker's Return Act, 1858," and published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, as directed by the Act. The capital and profit is copied from the returns for the quarter ending 31st December, 1878.

POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK.—GENERAL STATEMENT.
TABLE showing the Business of the Post Office Savings Banks in New Zealand, Year by Year, from the date of their Establishment to the 31st December, 1878.

Postal Districts.	Number of Post Office Savings Banks open at the close of the Year.	Number of Deposits received during the Year.	Total Amount of Deposits received during the Year.	Average Amount of each Deposit received during the Year.	Number of Withdrawals during the Year.	Total Amount of Withdrawals during the Year.	Average Amount of each Withdrawal during the Year.	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals during the Year.			Cost of Management during the Year.	Interest for the Year.	Number of Accounts opened during the Year.	Number of Accounts closed during the Year.	Number of Accounts remaining at close of the Year.	Average Amount standing to the Credit of all open Accounts, inclusive of Interest to the close of the Year.			
								£	s.	d.						£	s.	d.	
Auckland	... 34	7,243	78,912	£ 3 s. 2	4,881	72,482	£ 12 s. 3	£ 14	16	11	5,529	10	11	... 392	1	5	3,558	7	7
Thames	... 1	1,962	20,285	19	4	10	6	9	1,775	19,893	17	11	11	4	2	3,37	3	9	
Taranaki	... 5	1,273	19,455	15	6	15	5	8	762	20,399	14	8	26	15	5	6,46	17	0	
Hawke's Bay	... 9	2,959	29,407	14	8	9	18	9	1,687	26,391	11	10	10	15	12	10	3,014	12	10
Wellington	... 20	15,117	158,694	16	8	10	10	0	9,581	153,852	10	5	16	1	2	4,842	6	3	
Marlborough	... 4	1,299	13,664	4	4	10	10	5	691	14,210	15	7	20	11	4	546	11	3	
Nelson	... 5	1,722	16,749	9	8	9	14	6	894	17,242	18	7	19	5	9	493	8	11	
Westport	... 3	649	6,853	15	4	10	11	2	391	9,456	14	4	24	3	8	2,602	19	0	
Greytown	... 3	1,006	12,637	3	8	12	11	3	723	12,311	17	7	17	0	7	325	6	1	
Hokianga	... 3	961	10,052	4	2	10	9	2	637	10,891	11	8	17	1	11	839	7	6	
Canterbury	... 21	17,590	194,809	17	9	11	1	7	9946	189,214	8	9	19	0	6	5,655	9	0	
Otago	... 33	16,431	178,987	15	4	10	17	10	9,741	176,584	2	9	18	2	6	2,403	12	7	
Southland	... 6	1,696	22,413	12	5	13	4	3	1,037	19,119	17	11	18	8	8	3,294	4	6	
Totals for Colony in 1878...																			
"	147	69,908	762,084	12	0	10	18	0	42,746	742,053	14	3	17	7	2	20,030	17	9	
"	138	60,953	681,394	13	2	11	3	6	39,636	667,923	7	5	16	18	2	14,271	5	9	
"	124	57,295	664,134	12	6	11	11	9	36,486	696,281	7	4	17	12	8	32,146	14	10	
"	119	56,129	657,653	4	0	11	14	4	36,977	729,759	17	9	19	14	8	72,106	13	9	
"	103	53,627	699,249	14	3	13	5	8	29,578	629,155	8	9	20	16	5	79,094	5	6	
"	97	39,223	586,542	5	5	14	16	2	21,668	425,908	3	5	20	0	5	15,463	2	0	
"	92	31,681	423,877	0	0	13	12	0	17,254	313,176	7	11	18	3	0	11,770	12	1	
"	81	24,642	312,338	18	4	12	13	6	14,573	201,347	16	3	17	13	9	50,991	2	1	
"	70	29,489	264,338	5	7	12	18	0	11,934	229,599	13	2	17	11	1	54,818	12	5	
"	59	17,133	240,898	5	9	14	1	2	9,292	180,518	4	1	19	8	7	60,380	1	8	
"	55	13,014	194,535	11	6	14	18	11	6,365	107,994	17	3	16	16	6	87,440	14	3	
"	46	6,977	96,372	7	10	13	16	3	1,919	26,415	18	9	13	15	3	69,956	9	1	
Totals for Colony from 1st Feb. to 31st Dec., 1867 ...																			
"	822	1,106	1,241	5	0	2,520	364	1	2,156	71,197	14	1	33	0	5	822	1	106	

POST OFFICE MONEY ORDER AND SAVINGS BANK TRANSACTIONS.

TABLE showing the Number and Amount of Transactions at the several Money Order and Savings Bank Offices in the Colony of New Zealand during the Year 1878.

Offices.	Money Orders.						Savings Banks.					
	Issued.			Paid.			No. of New Accounts opened.	Deposits.		No. of Accts counts closed.	Withdrawals.	
	No.	Commission,	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.		No.	Amount.		No.	Amount.
AUCKLAND ...	5,723	£ 499 7 10	s. 21,800 17 1	d. 11,135	£ 42,319 19 8	s. 801	d. 4,650	£ 57,509 18 4	s. 722	d. 4,136	£ 60,672 0 8	s. 8
Alexandra ...	447	19 17 0	1,620 5 4	167	572 11 8	6	34	145 6 3	4	20	194 17 9	s. 9
Aratapu ...	366	13 19 0	1,508 3 5	33	194 16 0	50	199	1,686 3 0	16	51	1,075 15 0	s. 0
Cambridge ...	879	41 17 4	3,041 8 9	204	756 15 10	38	154	992 15 0	17	45	617 0 10	s. 0
Dargaville ...	62	2 10 6	343 13 9	4	12 10 6	10	21	382 10 0	...	1	100 0 0	s. 0
Drury ...	121	5 16 8	428 11 5	86	358 15 11	5	58	279 8 5	4	20	159 0 10	s. 0
Hamilton ...	95	44 3 6	3,209 13 6	447	1,469 18 4	83	377	2,218 6 0	54	140	1,234 15 10	s. 0
Hokianga ...	333	23 1 8	1,514 3 1	56	334 18 7	5	14	221 18 0	...	4	97 0 0	s. 0
Kapanga ...	610	28 7 2	1,657 15 0	260	812 2 4	16	94	601 10 11	7	20	309 3 0	s. 0
Kawakawa ...	426	25 8 2	1,602 2 8	83	449 15 7	46	202	1,676 0 0	8	29	801 8 10	s. 0
Mangapai ...	144	5 5 0	581 19 0	28	148 9 1	6	15	99 11 0	...	7	70 0 0	s. 0
Mangawhare ...	265	12 16 6	1,401 14 5	23	64 3 2	22	75	1,197 2 0	9	27	483 5 10	s. 0
Mercer ...	229	8 16 4	566 13 5	55	191 2 10	9	43	514 14 0	3	12	127 14 4	s. 4
Mongonui ...	207	8 9 6	704 16 8	69	369 17 7	6	25	176 7 0	3	17	287 5 11	s. 11
Ngaruawahia ...	331	14 1 2	819 13 2	209	825 0 2	23	80	622 9 0	12	33	869 10 9	s. 9
Ohinemutu ...	69	5 2 0	314 14 2	46	251 12 7	4	21	112 14 0	1	1	16 4 1	s. 1
Onehunga ...	328	20 13 6	1,188 10 10	605	2,597 11 10	37	216	2,156 6 7	15	54	832 17 2	s. 2
Opotiki ...	309	14 15 0	994 2 4	135	529 14 8	12	32	402 8 5	6	11	211 6 7	s. 7
Otahu ...	175	8 8 6	479 1 3	187	711 0 4	16	145	551 8 0	7	55	558 19 6	s. 6
Pahi ...	64	3 6 0	253 13 9	19	88 10 7	10	27	137 10 0	...	3	28 0 0	s. 0
Port Albert ...	138	4 18 6	491 17 2	48	196 5 2	2	7	53 19 0	1	8	124 0 9	s. 9
Pukekohe ...	90	3 0 0	242 3 8	38	165 1 3	3	20	42 10 0	2	6	64 12 7	s. 7
Raglan ...	285	10 5 6	1,350 0 9	38	149 11 3	7	17	122 18 0	...	9	87 9 0	s. 0
Russell ...	280	14 11 4	1,071 19 2	157	563 19 5	18	66	356 13 8	8	23	769 1 8	s. 8
Tauranga ...	717	40 19 6	2,490 15 11	358	1,184 0 5	30	150	1,510 11 10	12	40	978 17 6	s. 6
Te Arai ...	65	3 3 6	238 15 10	21	69 13 10	8	27	251 16 0	...	7	125 5 0	s. 0
Te Awamutu ...	375	16 13 4	1,190 18 11	113	572 1 2	12	95	572 14 0	7	15	281 14 11	s. 11
Te Kopuru ...	183	7 13 6	963 8 0	6	43 11 6	15	70	636 18 0	...	5	94 0 0	s. 0
Waipu ...	267	9 14 0	1,118 14 0	68	304 15 7	9	18	461 10 0	2	12	147 10 6	s. 6
Waiuku ...	275	11 15 4	911 16 11	100	396 14 4	14	71	424 0 9	3	12	166 8 8	s. 8
Waiwera ...	161	6 13 10	564 3 5	16	72 3 0	5	46	456 13 0	...	4	180 0 0	s. 0
Warkworth ...	239	8 16 10	686 5 3	103	477 1 3	10	51	477 5 0	2	19	192 5 4	s. 4
Whangarei ...	317	16 9 2	1,916 14 11	165	624 0 0	20	85	509 7 0	10	30	496 3 5	s. 5
Whangaroa ...	222	8 15 4	707 9 7	53	199 5 9	20	37	451 1 0	...	5	28 10 0	s. 0
THAMES ...	1,651	92 2 8	5,774 18 9	1,330	4,837 2 9	325	1,962	20,285 19 4	219	1,775	19,893 17 11	s. 11
NEW PLYMOUTH ...	1,301	81 19 4	4,615 9 8	737	2,698 0 9	191	1,002	14,998 0 3	148	676	16,951 1 3	s. 3
Hawera ...	529	26 19 4	1,779 1 6	148	638 13 11	24	74	1,118 14 7	21	41	927 7 9	s. 9
Inglewood ...	73	5 10 2	235 18 1	9	36 10 0	13	27	615 6 9	4	8	230 9 7	s. 7
Manutahi ...	90	5 11 0	365 3 3	19	49 12 4	3	8	58 0 0	...	1	2 10 0	s. 0
Patea ...	444	25 1 0	1,446 13 0	327	1,123 11 11	33	142	2,563 11 11	15	29	2,214 5 9	s. 9
Waitara ...	76	5 4 8	276 10 8	44	168 5 4	8	20	1,2 2 0	2	7	74 0 4	s. 4
NAPIER ...	2,284	167 15 6	8,815 12 10	1,485	5,403 19 4	389	1,910	20,349 8 9	313	1,347	21,157 3 0	s. 0
Gisborne ...	1,537	109 17 6	6,308 14 6	394	1,635 2 6	123	502	4,590 9 11	63	158	2,792 16 3	s. 3
Hastings ...	85	6 18 6	359 3 0	35	110 13 9	4	33	217 16 0	...	6	39 1 8	s. 8
Kopua ...	110	7 14 6	496 10 0	6	29 1 0	19	54	582 0 0	5	11	161 9 7	s. 7
Port Ahuriri ...	276	19 8 0	1,118 6 4	131	629 19 11	17	133	978 13 3	17	70	733 7 8	s. 8
Taupo ...	398	25 12 6	1,587 7 8	55	220 9 5	11	56	438 9 1	4	14	167 2 1	s. 1
Waipawa ...	384	27 6 10	1,359 19 10	107	317 18 4	33	135	1,181 4 8	17	52	983 1 1	s. 1
Waipukurau ...	300	21 8 4	1,051 2 0	43	144 9 9	21	58	774 1 0	8	25	347 8 11	s. 11
Wairoa ...	259	13 17 8	939 16 5	81	277 18 5	14	78	295 12 0	2	4	11 11 7	s. 7
WELLINGTON ...	10,317	646 15 2	34,061 8 2	10,318	38,437 5 1	2,000	11,922	130,265 10 9	1,677	8,604	134,111 9 0	s. 0
Bull's ...	519	30 2 8	1,760 6 5	193	737 14 3	42	162	1,039 6 9	13	44	1,026 14 8	s. 8
Carterton ...	346	19 15 2	1,222 2 5	145	613 11 8	24	96	590 5 2	13	25	670 19 10	s. 10
Featherston ...	342	19 17 10	1,162 13 9	146	458 8 7	70	205	2,360 9 9	33	76	1,134 13 1	s. 1
Feilding ...	600	28 4 8	1,946 15 5	197	723 2 9	43	129	787 12 11	17	43	662 7 2	s. 2
Foxton ...	384	21 0 0	1,182 3 10	273	765 1 1	25	138	1,044 15 0	14	43	731 10 0	s. 0
Greymouth ...	437	24 19 0	1,699 14 9	231	850 10 3	38	178	1,138 2 0	21	73	851 15 7	s. 7
Halcombe ...	20	1 6 2	72 9 10	2	3 16 4	3	5	40 0 0	...	...	...	s. 0
Hutt ...	174	8 8 0	695 12 8	101	331 7 4	46	287	2,584 13 0	15	53	883 9 6	s. 6
Marton ...	619	33 15 2	2,274 2 1	293	847 14 2	37	146	970 6 4	24	46	891 4 5	s. 5
Masterton ...	837	51 8 2	2,981 9 2	327	1,230 9 11	65	228	2,147 11 10	48	134	2,917 0 8	s. 8
Palmerston N. ...	607	30 14 6	1,742 6 11	380	1,140 15 5	41	131	1,149 0 2	29	61	1,442 10 1	s. 1
Sanson ...	216	8 11 0	536 2 7	70	187 0 1	13	63	563 15 5	6	16	341 11 5	s. 5
Turakina ...	218	11 7 8	752 5 3	78	259 9 3	10	59	443 0 9	6	13	196 8 7	s. 7
Upper Hutt ...	116	7 3 10	353 10 6	75	287 18 4	27	152	1,838 7 5	7	29	562 11 6	s. 6
Waitotara ...	182	7 1 10	618 18 2	49	182 4 9	6	63	163 14 0	2	4	76 8 2	s. 2
Wanganui ...	2,638	174 13 10	9,925 10 3	1,577	5,685 12 8	283	1,136	11,353 16 5	121	310	7,194 5 10	s. 10
Waverley ...	226	12 16 10	751 3 6	58	190 18 0	6	17	214 9 0	3	7	157 10 11	s. 11
BLENHIM ...	1,570	90 12 10	6,076 13 6	714	2,339 15 9	155	861	9,736 9 8	144	547	10,226 14 3	s. 3
Havelock ...	537	23 17 2	2,039 11 11	162	580 4 9	18	107	945 8 5	17	44	1,009 9 4	s. 4
Kaikoura ...	182	11 8 10	658 12 1	72	205 1 7	13	36	546 9 0	9	13	548 4 11	s. 11
Picton ...	573	26 10 4	2,193 11 1	385	1,376 5 6	57	295	2,435 17 3	23	87	2,426 7 1	s. 1
NELSON ...	1,864	108 6 0	6,213 16 6	3,650	14,719 14 4	211	1,325	12,532 18 8	182	789	14,961 18 8	s. 8
Collingwood ...	321	11 15 6	1,219 9 7	56	198 7 1	11	28	613 1 0	6	15	436 5 1	s. 1

POST OFFICE MONEY ORDER AND SAVINGS BANK TRANSACTIONS.

TABLE showing the Number and Amount of Transactions at the several Money Order and Savings Bank Offices in the Colony of New Zealand during the Year 1878—continued.

Offices.	Money Orders.					Savings Banks.					
	Issued.			Paid.		No. of New Accounts opened.	Deposits.		No. of Accts. closed.	Withdrawals.	
	No.	Commission.	Amount.	No.	Amount.		No.	Amount.		No.	Amount.
Motueka ...	346	16 5 8	1,419 2 1	305	1,390 14 3	32	200	2,130 5 0	15	70	1,152 16 10
Port ...	60	4 13 10	262 8 10	15	53 2 4	3	26	179 9 0	...	...	...
Richmond ...	92	6 5 6	394 2 8	112	513 5 2	17	143	1,293 16 0	4	20	691 18 0
WESTPORT ...	871	57 14 10	3,257 8 3	718	2,845 16 2	69	405	4,184 13 8	79	303	5,936 4 1
Charleston ...	424	25 13 6	1,469 6 0	164	475 12 3	28	208	1,972 5 8	12	57	2,564 3 1
Lyell ...	585	36 9 10	3,368 16 5	64	267 17 0	9	36	696 16 0	11	31	956 7 2
GREYMOUTH ...	2,067	132 17 2	7,316 2 10	1,965	6,460 17 5	124	658	8,708 10 0	128	605	9,918 11 1
Ahaura ...	814	49 3 10	3,841 17 2	98	414 16 2	16	119	1,004 19 11	6	28	478 10 4
Reefton ...	1,417	96 11 0	5,721 18 0	691	2,387 0 11	55	229	2,833 13 9	37	90	1,914 16 2
HOKITIKA ...	1,363	87 2 10	5,030 18 6	1,743	5,669 19 10	66	418	4,582 16 2	110	414	6,954 10 0
Kumara ...	1,122	63 11 8	3,895 11 6	388	1,410 6 3	81	432	4,183 11 9	43	172	2,693 16 2
Ross ...	276	13 16 6	932 10 6	228	788 11 8	19	111	1,285 16 3	16	51	1,242 16 6
CHRISTCHURCH ...	8,065	625 15 0	30,669 0 3	5,721	19,730 14 1	2,097	12,230	145,049 14 4	1,450	8,131	154,633 11 7
Akaroa ...	440	23 4 0	1,379 12 5	201	866 16 9	38	194	1,949 3 4	14	53	1,269 3 5
Amberley ...	228	17 18 0	926 7 8	65	241 1 0	25	91	811 16 0	9	24	316 13 5
Ashburton ...	1,277	78 8 0	4,472 4 8	377	1,537 6 6	119	444	5,006 3 6	73	187	3,686 4 5
Cheviot ...	63	5 0 0	248 13 2	8	30 7 8	11	17	380 5 9	3	6	189 6 7
Dunsandel ...	132	6 15 0	388 12 8	32	156 12 7	7	29	363 0 4	6	9	127 11 1
Geraldine ...	340	20 0 2	1,175 9 3	76	236 10 8	35	192	1,053 6 0	16	38	418 14 10
Hurunui ...	72	4 16 0	290 3 8	12	63 7 0	15	53	582 16 0	3	4	37 1 11
Kaiapoi ...	357	22 15 0	1,144 1 0	308	1,252 2 10	83	388	3,134 11 0	40	119	1,889 12 5
Leithfield ...	135	5 2 8	310 1 2	41	189 5 3	5	47	432 5 0	7	23	374 12 10
Lytton ...	1,038	67 17 8	3,540 7 0	580	1,978 10 0	143	902	7,603 16 0	80	252	3,888 6 4
Malvern ...	233	13 13 4	830 13 7	65	316 14 5	7	32	363 17 0	10	17	303 0 9
Oxford ...	273	11 7 4	708 6 6	103	341 5 3	23	111	1,516 13 0	12	41	535 13 7
Rakaia ...	302	15 12 6	1,063 14 2	66	221 13 7	31	92	973 11 0	24	54	606 1 8
Rangiora ...	396	29 18 2	1,350 9 7	208	818 19 1	75	350	3,091 3 0	50	121	3,224 8 10
Southbridge ...	395	17 1 6	858 6 6	130	436 3 0	27	99	706 0 0	19	41	1,121 14 3
Temuka ...	550	31 11 0	1,859 18 3	188	721 16 1	52	212	1,204 4 8	44	88	1,925 12 9
Timaru ...	2,637	179 18 2	10,098 16 3	1,219	4,932 13 4	413	1,715	16,498 12 2	275	613	12,273 10 11
Waiau ...	164	9 15 2	647 15 9	37	119 12 2	14	76	1,592 9 0	3	21	477 10 6
Waimate ...	843	45 17 6	3,229 18 2	226	784 7 9	63	212	1,875 14 8	40	82	1,414 13 7
Woolston ...	38	2 12 6	141 16 4	28	98 7 6	15	104	620 16 0	2	22	501 3 1
DUNEDIN ...	7,082	553 8 2	27,782 19 5	11,758	39,809 11 3	1,789	10,227	126,158 0 10	1,849	7,902	141,902 15 3
Albany Street ...	669	46 18 0	2,285 16 1	321	1,224 9 7	194	1,862	12,933 19 4	97	377	5,025 12 4
Arrow River ...	320	17 15 4	951 5 6	76	200 16 10	8	18	713 0 0	10	13	241 2 1
Balclutha ...	531	29 19 6	1,825 3 11	311	1,118 11 1	59	163	2,436 7 6	28	83	1,444 8 4
Blueskin ...	88	4 4 6	374 17 2	39	181 18 6	21	69	269 1 0	5	12	283 17 11
Clinton ...	365	18 9 4	1,273 12 11	67	282 10 2	20	73	379 11 7	6	17	281 4 0
Clyde ...	525	23 7 10	2,415 11 3	129	306 1 7	13	76	235 3 0	7	18	385 6 4
Cromwell ...	480	24 5 4	1,602 5 6	138	404 18 6	13	84	462 15 0	9	15	175 10 3
Green Island ...	79	8 2 8	336 10 8	90	262 4 7	21	165	1,309 16 0	9	25	562 7 8
Hamilton's ...	149	9 18 6	689 10 11	17	97 4 2	8	44	1,100 18 0	8	25	751 9 10
Hampden ...	250	11 3 6	759 14 7	83	336 8 1	9	59	360 19 0	8	20	203 19 10
Hyde ...	57	2 13 0	218 12 4	15	79 19 8	...	...	...	1	1	42 18 9
Kaitangata ...	298	11 13 0	941 12 5	66	201 15 5	15	58	196 6 0	2	6	37 18 9
Kakanui ...	252	13 9 8	1,165 14 8	37	145 9 0	4	27	495 10 0	5	9	143 16 9
Lawrence ...	623	31 12 0	2,142 6 2	440	1,411 13 1	51	300	2,426 0 0	33	88	2,314 2 10
Manuherikia ...	260	11 9 8	730 2 1	62	309 7 10	3	5	31 10 0	2	6	241 0 11
Mataura ...	270	13 2 2	867 16 8	92	292 0 0	9	51	197 12 0	8	14	315 9 2
Milton ...	515	26 3 2	1,675 11 8	411	1,515 3 2	71	364	2,538 1 8	45	115	1,962 19 5
Mosgiel ...	135	8 12 0	409 11 2	86	381 14 5	18	108	808 19 0	14	24	537 2 8
Naseby ...	490	24 14 8	1,591 9 2	129	410 6 4	22	94	682 12 0	16	40	902 4 0
Oamaru ...	2,637	179 16 10	10,693 11 9	1,007	3,392 8 2	367	1,358	15,995 2 9	217	487	11,525 0 4
Ophir ...	288	12 11 2	968 0 6	43	186 15 5	2	10	8 11 0	1	1	107 7 0
Otepopo ...	221	9 13 6	689 10 10	34	111 4 6	6	31	389 12 0	4	14	171 8 0
Outram ...	220	11 11 6	596 9 5	92	274 3 8	10	57	259 18 0	5	15	168 4 7
Palmerston ...	507	24 19 4	1,556 18 1	199	691 15 2	29	111	1,430 14 6	20	48	1,002 5 7
Port Chalmers ...	769	53 18 10	3,152 14 7	572	2,344 17 9	106	671	5,197 3 4	76	239	3,309 14 4
Queenstown ...	435	22 6 10	1,329 8 1	223	603 17 1	11	40	459 15 0	8	17	262 8 9
Roxburgh ...	396	17 2 0	1,169 8 10	111	335 8 7	7	23	348 16 6	4	16	148 8 3
St. Bathans ...	263	10 18 2	581 10 8	32	114 4 0	6	33	475 5 11	1	3	70 1 1
Tapanui ...	364	18 11 10	1,179 18 0	120	420 16 2	18	101	382 8 10	23	34	591 7 7
Waihola ...	105	4 10 8	366 13 9	30	79 14 0	7	20	146 19 0	1	2	10 0 0
Waikaia ...	455	18 15 2	2,100 10 8	48	168 12 4	7	39	489 7 7	9	21	938 14 1
Waikouaiti ...	376	18 9 0	1,272 13 11	148	626 0 9	22	90	657 19 0	11	34	433 16 1
INVERCARGILL ...	2,278	164 12 0	8,738 14 4	1,573	4,844 12 2	294	1,344	18,365 7 2	207	932	17,112 17 3
Campbelltown ...	282	13 12 10	1,299 9 1	133	590 5 6	10	64	761 9 2	3	14	197 10 4
Gore ...	517	23 12 4	1,682 13 7	108	572 15 0	22	52	979 11 1	11	27	630 13 2
Longbush ...	151	5 17 10	402 0 1	29	99 5 0	18	72	545 0 11	6	15	155 10 4
Riverton ...	470	27 3 10	1,586 16 9	172	652 12 9	28	96	808 1 4	14	34	667 8 2
Winton ...	225	11 10 10	705 4 7	67	169 15 2	20	68	954 2 9	7	15	355 8 8
Total ...	101017	6,288 13 0	368,254 16 10	74,937	270,915 1 10	13,005	69,908	762,084 12 0	9,634	42,746	742,053 14 3

POST OFFICE MONEY ORDERS ISSUED AND MONEY ORDERS PAID.

TABLE showing the Number and Amount of Money Orders issued and of Money Orders made payable in New Zealand, Year by Year, since the Year 1863.

Year.	Commission Received.	Where Payable.										Total.	
		In the Colony.				United Kingdom.				Australian Colonies.			
		No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.
1863	£ s. d.	2,201	9,613 11 11	4,740	21,944 2 1	4,645	24,145 7 5	11,586	55,703 1 5				
1864	1,619 2 6	4,267	19,427 4 4	7,700	35,741 5 0	4,625	23,388 10 2	16,592	78,556 19 6				
1865	1,463 18 6	6,292	29,742 1 1	7,756	33,426 11 5	3,188	15,406 17 2	17,236	78,576 3 8				
1866	1,761 14 0	8,924	42,823 4 7	9,238	41,987 15 0	4,548	23,968 5 2	22,710	108,779 13 0				
1867	1,815 19 6	10,293	49,496 13 0	9,242	40,998 14 11	4,938	25,115 5 1	24,473	115,610 13 0				
1868	1,863 1 6	11,898	54,342 18 6	9,241	40,581 13 9	4,715	23,286 11 5	25,854	118,211 3 8				
1869	1,932 3 0	14,305	6,897 1 10	9,263	39,939 8 6	4,859	23,381 14 7	28,427	127,218 4 11				
1870	2,367 3 6	16,821	73,344 11 9	9,624	41,472 3 7	5,419	25,637 12 7	31,864	140,454 7 11				
1871	2,608 3 6	20,514	88,546 9 7	10,407	44,197 18 3	5,370	24,653 5 9	36,291	157,397 13 7				
1872	3,068 17 6	28,156	120,125 14 8	10,619	44,535 9 9	5,885	26,347 17 7	44,660	191,009 2 0				
1873	3,562 3 2	34,288	142,642 4 10	11,913	48,547 11 4	6,150	28,068 5 5	52,351	219,258 1 7				
1874	4,393 2 3	40,968	171,683 6 1	14,379	57,821 2 6	7,365	33,659 19 2	62,712	263,164 7 9				
1875	4,950 19 4	48,611	193,551 13 9	16,949	66,332 14 9	7,467	33,597 2 3	73,927	293,481 10 9				
1876	5,261 19 2	55,748	212,089 1 6	17,331	66,977 4 2	7,176	31,202 0 3	80,255	310,268 5 11				
1877	5,714 18 4	64,000	233,804 15 10	18,369	69,670 11 10	8,303	31,498 0 1	90,672	334,973 7 9				
1878	6,288 13 0	70,531	250,861 6 0	21,169	80,681 15 8	9,317	36,711 15 2	101,017	368,254 16 10				

MONEY ORDERS DRAWN ON THE COLONY.

Year.	Where Issued.										Total.	
	In the Colony.				United Kingdom.				Australian Colonies.			
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.
1863	2,067	9,169 4 6	415	1,824 0 8	558	3,077 13 7	3,040	14,070 18 9				
1864	4,248	19,417 10 5	675	3,274 2 2	697	3,776 1 7	5,620	26,467 14 2				
1865	6,218	29,282 13 10	762	3,568 15 10	700	3,712 1 5	7,680	36,563 11 1				
1866	8,886	42,768 10 9	1,100	5,021 14 9	917	4,753 3 10	10,903	52,543 9 4				
1867	10,353	49,931 17 2	1,198	5,649 2 10	1,108	5,570 6 4	12,659	61,151 6 4				
1868	11,903	54,349 8 3	1,401	6,502 3 0	1,294	6,685 1 3	14,598	67,536 12 6				
1869	14,250	63,820 15 5	1,218	5,630 18 8	1,272	6,382 4 3	16,740	75,833 18 4				
1870	16,798	73,245 8 3	1,156	5,523 4 4	1,267	6,055 6 11	19,221	84,823 19 6				
1871	20,514	88,592 0 3	1,396	6,217 11 5	1,318	5,914 18 7	23,228	100,724 10 3				
1872	27,983	119,676 1 2	1,594	7,078 8 6	1,459	6,803 15 3	30,946	133,558 4 11				
1873	34,288	142,642 4 10	1,482	6,625 14 5	1,668	7,689 6 8	37,438	156,957 5 11				
1874	40,968	171,683 6 1	1,003	7,284 10 7	1,800	8,316 17 5	44,371	187,284 14 1				
1875	48,611	193,551 13 9	1,969	9,262 9 7	1,995	9,340 19 11	52,575	212,155 3 3				
1876	55,748	212,089 1 6	2,243	10,202 13 6	2,385	10,838 16 8	60,376	233,130 11 8				
1877	64,000	233,804 15 10	2,258	9,744 8 8	2,568	11,056 2 7	68,826	254,605 7 1				
1878	70,531	250,861 6 0	2,260	9,833 18 6	2,528	10,698 14 3	75,319	271,393 18 9				

TABLE showing the Money Orders issued in New Zealand on the United Kingdom and the Australian Colonies during the Years 1877 and 1878.

Where Payable.	1877.				1878.			
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
United Kingdom	18,369	69,670 11 10	21,169	80,681 15 8				
Victoria	5,216	20,951 17 9	5,923	23,956 12 0				
South Australia	291	1,137 16 1	380	1,483 3 3				
New South Wales	2,104	6,340 11 2	2,375	8,369 0 2				
Queensland	217	691 11 5	172	713 17 4				
Tasmania	469	2,344 13 8	450	2,144 17 5				
Western Australia	6	31 10 0	17	44 5 0				
Totals	26,672	101,168 11 11	30,486	117,393 10 10				

TABLE showing the Money Orders issued in the United Kingdom and the Australian Colonies on New Zealand during the Years 1877 and 1878.

Where Issued.	1877.				1878.			
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
United Kingdom	2,258	9,744 8 8	2,260	9,833 18 6				
Victoria	1,110	4,819 10 3	1,105	4,442 14 5				
South Australia	150	627 1 9	124	528 12 6				
New South Wales	877	3,609 5 8	864	3,617 12 9				
Queensland	193	889 10 6	175	756 15 9				
Tasmania	225	1,033 16 7	244	1,236 12 10				
Western Australia	13	76 17 10	16	116 6 0				
Totals	4,826	20,800 11 3	4,788	20,532 12 9				

SAVINGS BANKS.

TABLE showing the number of Savings Banks (other than those connected with the Post Office*) in New Zealand, the respective Dates of their Establishment, and the Number of Depositors, with the Amounts Deposited and Withdrawn, in the Year 1878; distinguishing the European and the Aboriginal Native Depositors.

Where Situated.	Date of Establishment.	Numbers having Deposits in the respective Banks on the 31st December, 1878.			Total Amounts to the Credit of such Depositors on 31st December, 1878.			Total Amounts Deposited in 1878.			Total Amounts Withdrawn in 1878.					
		Europeans.	Maoris.	Total.	Of Europeans.	Of Maoris.	Total.	By Europeans.	By Maoris.	Totals.	By Europeans.	By Maoris.	Totals.			
Auckland	1847	4,385	6	4,391	1,317,581	17	9	£66	s. d.	£105,232	16	7	£86,755	13	6	
New Plymouth	1850	102	3	105	2,395	12	8	168	8	2,564	0	8	958	8	9	
Napier	1864	231	1	232	4,481	15	0	5	0	4,486	15	0	2,115	13	1	
Nelson	1860	754	...	754	15,525	13	6	...	15,525	13	6	5,198	2	10		
Hokitika	1866	316	...	316	8,051	4	0	...	8,051	4	0	2,993	11	0		
Dunedin	1864	1,678	5	1,683	51,388	1	7	16	19	1	51,495	0	8	27,311	15	7
Invercargill	1864	313	...	313	10,275	11	10	...	10,275	11	10	10,133	18	7		
Totals	...	7,779	15	7,794	223,876	16	4	256	10	5	224,133	6	9	153,943	6	5
														135,628	17	10
														51	0	0
														135,679	17	10

* The information relating to Post Office Savings Banks will be found in the tables next preceding the last page.

MORTGAGES AND RELEASES OF MORTGAGES ON LAND.

TABLE showing the Number and Amount of Mortgages on Land, and Releases therefrom, registered in New Zealand during the Year, 1878, distinguishing those effected under the Land Transfer Act from those under the Old System.

MORTGAGES.

Consideration.	Under the Land Transfer Act.			Under Old System.			Total.					
	No. of Transactions.	Amount.		No. of Transactions.	Amount.		No. of Transactions.	Amount.				
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Under £100	830	43,812	1	0	668	40,215	7	0	1,498	84,027	8	0
£100 and under £250 ...	1,700	249,279	5	9	1,520	223,569	15	4	3,220	472,849	1	1
£250 and under £500 ...	896	304,082	4	2	878	289,704	0	1	1,774	593,786	4	3
£500 and under £1,000 ...	546	363,364	2	5	580	376,566	13	5	1,126	739,930	15	10
£1,000 and under £5,000 ...	607	1,157,150	8	2	630	1,246,141	13	3	1,237	2,403,292	1	5
£5,000 and upwards ...	157	1,922,719	0	11	133	1,656,217	0	7	290	3,578,936	1	6
Unspecified	35	...			75	...			110	...		
Totals	4,771	4,040,407	2	5	4,484	3,832,414	9	8	9,255	7,872,821	12	1

RELEASES OF MORTGAGES.

Under £100	488	25,671	16	0	463	24,190	16	1	951	49,862	12	1
£100 and under £250 ...	771	110,452	6	11	843	125,958	0	9	1,614	236,410	7	8
£250 and under £500 ...	369	127,161	4	6	449	147,234	14	8	818	274,395	19	2
£500 and under £1,000 ...	246	163,204	8	9	305	192,082	6	3	551	355,286	15	0
£1,000 and under £5,000 ...	215	433,253	12	6	259	501,265	8	3	474	934,519	0	9
£5,000 and upwards ...	35	353,585	13	4	47	516,236	12	9	82	869,822	6	1
Unspecified	14	...			230	...			244	...		
Totals	2,138	1,213,329	2	0	2,596	1,506,967	18	9	4,734	2,720,297	0	9

TOTAL MORTGAGES AND RELEASES REGISTERED IN EACH DISTRICT IN 1878.

District.	Mortgages.				Releases.			
	No.	Amount.		No.	Amount.			
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Auckland	1,287	570,828	16	9	745	265,979	12	8
Taranaki	280	89,218	0	0	125	49,602	6	5
Hawke's Bay	412	838,950	17	2	195	243,861	1	9
Wellington	1,770	1,107,159	12	6	812	417,789	0	9
Marlborough	140	127,634	19	0	64	44,380	10	0
Nelson	284	167,425	19	2	179	116,043	12	3
Westland	113	29,304	5	0	44	6,961	17	2
Canterbury	2,859	2,957,127	0	0	1,495	972,569	0	0
Otago	1,570	1,144,129	17	10	742	368,206	9	6
Southland	540	841,042	4	8	333	234,903	10	3
Totals	9,255	7,872,821	12	1	4,734	2,720,297	0	9

JOINT-STOCK COMPANIES.
TABLE showing the Joint-Stock Companies incorporated under the provisions of "The Joint-Stock Companies Act, 1860," during the Year 1878.

Name of the Company.	Where the Registered Office of the Company is Established.	Liability of the Shareholders, whether Limited or Unlimited.	Nominal Capital of the Company.	Number of Shares.	Amount of each Share.	Date of Certificate of Incorporation.
The Erin-go-Bragh Water-race Company	...	Hokitika, Provincial District of Westland	Limited	4,480	224	20 s. d.
The Auckland Steamship Company	...	Auckland, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	28,000	7,000	10 January, 1878.
The Bendigo United Gold-Mining Company	...	Auckland, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	5,000	10,000	4 o 14 January, 1878.
The Hawke's Bay Fire Insurance Company	...	Napier, Provincial District of Hawke's Bay	Unlimited	100,000	20,000	o 10 o 14 January, 1878.
The Dunedin Sale-yards Company	...	Dunedin, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	6,000	60	5 o 22 January, 1878.
The Ambetley Town Hall Company	...	Ambetley, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	400	200	100 o 29 January, 1878.
The Ashburton Town Hall Company	...	Ashburton, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	1,500	750	2 o 8 February, 1878.
The Matawhai Gold-Mining Company	...	Auckland, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	10,000	10,000	1 o 9 February, 1878.
The Victoria Wharf Company	...	Tauranga, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	1,500	1,500	1 o 9 February, 1878.
The Canterbury Tramway Company	...	Christchurch, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	50,000	10,000	1 o 11 February, 1878.
The Ellersmere Bacon-curing Company	...	Leeston, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	5,000	1,000	5 o 13 February, 1878.
The Ashburton Templar Hall Company	...	Ashburton, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	400	200	2 o 21 February, 1878.
The Rakaih and Ashburton Forks Railway Company	...	Christchurch, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	200,000	10,000	2 o 5 March, 1878.
The Warrengate Flour-mill and Steam-threshing Company	...	Warrengrate, Wanganui, Provincial District of Wellington	Limited	2,000	200	20 o 7 March, 1878.
The South Rakaia Town Hall Company	...	South Rakaia, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	800	400	10 o 7 March, 1878.
The Corby Gold-Mining Company	...	Auckland, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	8,000	8,000	2 o 14 March, 1878.
The Springfield Coal Company	...	Christchurch, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	100,000	20,000	1 o 25 March, 1878.
The New Zealander Newspaper Company	...	Wellington, Provincial District of Wellington	Limited	19,000	2,000	5 o 25 March, 1878.
The Goodenough Gold-Mining Company	...	Auckland, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	8,500	8,500	5 o 27 March, 1878.
The Oamaru Stone Company	...	Oamaru, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	5,000	1,000	1 o 3 April, 1878.
The Red Queen Gold-Mining Company	...	Auckland, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	6,000	12,000	1 o 3 April, 1878.
The Westport Colliery Company (Limited)	...	Dunedin, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	100,000	10,000	10 o 18 April, 1878.
The Eureka and Clunes Gold-Mining Company	...	Auckland, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	9,000	9,000	1 o 15 April, 1878.
The Patea Steam Shipping Company	...	Carlyle, Provincial District of Taranaki	Limited	5,000	100	1 o 23 April, 1878.
The Colonial Insurance Company of New Zealand	...	Wellington, Provincial District of Wellington	Unlimited	2,000,000	200,000	50 o 24 April, 1878.
The Empress Gold-Mining Company	...	Auckland, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	10,000	10,000	10 o 27 April, 1878.
The New Zealand Brush, Broom, and Fibre Company	...	Provincial District of Otago	Limited	5,000	1,000	1 o 11 May, 1878.
The South Pacific Loan and Investment Company	...	Wellington, Provincial District of Wellington	Limited	* 1,000	100	5 o 14 May, 1878.
The Hororata Steam-threshing Company	...	Hororata, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	400	20	10 o 15 May, 1878.
The Hokitika Quartz-Mining Company	...	Hokitika, Provincial District of Westland	Limited	12,000	1,200	20 o 20 May, 1878.
The Duntron and Hukateramea Railway Company	...	Dunedin, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	150,000	15,000	1 o 23 May, 1878.
The Waimate Railway Company	...	Waimate, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	10,000	10,000	10 o 25 May, 1878.
					4 June,	4 June, 1878.

* Increased to £2,000.

JOINT-STOCK COMPANIES.
TABLE showing the Joint-Stock Companies incorporated under the provisions of "The Joint-Stock Companies Act, 1860," during the Year 1878—*continued.*

Name of the Company.	Where the Registered Office of the Company is Established.	Liability of the Shareholders, whether Limited or Unlimited.	Nominal Capital of the Company.	Number of Shares.	Amount of each Share.	Date of Certificate of Incorporation.
			£	s.	d.	
The Wallsend Coal Company ...	... Nelson, Provincial District of Nelson...	Limited	5,000	1,000	5	8 June,
The Otago Daily Times and Witness Newspapers Company, ...	... Dunedin, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	40,000	4,000	0	10 o
The Waimea Plains Railway Company ...	... Dunedin, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	150,000	15,000	0	14 June,
The Outram Society's Hall Company ...	... Outram, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	1,000	1,000	0	21 June,
The Congress Gold-Mining Company ...	... Auckland, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	5,000	10,000	0	1878.
The Otago Paper-mills Company ...	... Woodhaugh, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	6,000	12	0	5 July,
The New Zealand Hardware Company ...	... Dunedin, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	100,000	20,000	5	500
The D'Urville Island Copper-Mining Company ...	... Blenheim, Provincial District of Marlborough	Limited	30,000	30,000	1	3 August,
The Kaiapoi Woollen Manufacturing Company ...	... Kaiapoi, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	15,000	15	0	6 August,
The Ashburton Gas, Coal, and Coke Company ...	... Ashburton, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	10,000	2,000	0	7 August,
The Kaiapori Steamship Company ...	... Helensville, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	30,000	6,000	0	14 August,
The Wakatipu Steam Navigation Company ...	... Queenstown, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	10,000	2,000	0	21 August,
The Southland Times Company ...	... Invercargill, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	5,000	1,000	0	1878.
The West Wanganui Coal Company ...	... Wellington, Provincial District of Wellington	Limited	50,000	10,000	0	22 August,
The Taipo Quartz-Mining Company ...	... Holtikka, Provincial District of Westland	Limited	10,000	19,000	1	23 August,
The New Plymouth Gas Company ...	... New Plymouth, Provincial District of Taranaki	Limited	10,000	2,000	0	26 August,
The Canterbury Farmers Grain and Produce Store Company ...	... Christchurch, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	2,000	2,000	0	1878.
The Wairarapa Sale-yards Company ...	... Featherston, Provincial District of Wellington	Limited	300	300	1	11 September,
The Aparima Steam Navigation Company ...	... Riverton, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	20,000	2,000	0	19 September,
The Waimate Bush Branch Railway Company ...	... Waimate, Provincial District of Canterbury	Limited	1,600	1,600	0	30 September,
The Age Co-operative Newspaper Company ...	... Dunedin, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	4,500	4,500	0	1878.
The Coromandel Steamboat Company ...	... Coromandel, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	2,000	400	0	16 October,
The Waipu Store Company ...	... Waipu, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	1,000	500	0	19 October,
The Wade and Puhoi Steamboat Company ...	... Auckland, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	100,000	50,000	2	30 October,
The Otago State Company ...	... Provincial District of Otago	Limited	1,500	300	0	30 October,
The Gisborne Maori Newspaper Company ...	... Gisborne, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	12,000	6,000	0	24 November,
The New Zealand Hematite Paint Company ...	... Dunedin, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	6,000	12,000	0	25 November,
The Bonanza Gold-Mining Company ...	... Auckland, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	10,000	10,000	0	26 November,
The New Zealand Railway Wagon Company ...	... Dunedin, Provincial District of Otago	Limited	200,000	1,000	0	6 December,
The New Zealand Land and Loan Company ...	... Wellington, Provincial District of Wellington	Limited	1,000	1,000	0	9 December,
The Feilding Public Hall Company ...	... Feilding, Provincial District of Wellington	Limited	30,000	1,000	0	23 December,
The Pelorus Saw-mill Company ...	... Havelock, Provincial District of Marlborough	Limited	600	50	0	30 December,
The Cabbage Bay Gold-Mining Company ...	... Auckland, Provincial District of Auckland	Limited	5,000	10,000	0	1878.

PRODUCTION.

CROWN LANDS SOLD.

TABLE showing the Crown Lands Sold for Cash or Money Scrip in the several Provincial Districts of New Zealand for the Year ending 31st December, 1878.

Provincial Districts.	Number of Acres.			Consideration.			Deferred Payments.			Total Land Sold in 1878.	Total Consideration in Cash and Money Scrip.
	Town.	Suburban.	Country.	Cash.	Money Scrip of any sort.	Land Crown-granted.	Gross Amount Cash received for same.				
Auckland	A. R. P. 36 2 22	A. R. P. 241 3 32	A. R. P. 17,298 3 3	£ s. d. 43,429 8 0	£ s. d. 12,052 15 0	A. R. P. 80 0 0	£ s. d. 665 2 0	A. R. P. 17,657 1 17	£ s. d. 56,147 5 0		
Taranaki	35 2 0	...	11,309 0 37	29,324 15 10	365 10 0	6,070 6 6	...	11,344 2 37	29,741 5 10		
Hawke's Bay	11 1 30	27 2 33	6,465 1 35	1,760 0 0	6,504 2 18	7,830 6 6	
Wellington	53 3 4	1,217 2 10	11,577 0 4	*16,292 6 9	6,740 0 0	25,129 3 27	100 0 0	37,978 1 5	23,132 6 9		
Marlborough	1 1 39	185 2 33	718 1 21	2,111 6 6	...	...	...	905 2 13	2,111 6 6
Nelson	13 3 2	175 2 27	2,570 1 17	3,053 6 6	105 15 0	...	...	2,759 3 6	3,159 1 6
Westland	0 3 20	54 2 16	1,632 0 0	1,752 6 3	...	915 0 0	...	2,602 1 36	1,752 6 3		
Canterbury	23 0 33	...	478,889 2 28	†961,896 11 10	...	...	...	478,912 3 21	961,896 11 10
Otago (exclusive of Southland)	130 0 25	232 1 5	68,665 1 12	98,854 5 8	3,647 11 6	22,183 2 32	21,268 2 3	91,211 1 34	123,769 19 5		
Southland	69 0 23	672 1 38	40,356 3 28	90,208 3 11	1,994 4 0	1,578 3 16	5,524 0 6	42,677 1 25	97,726 8 5		
Totals	375 3 38	2,807 3 34	639,483 0 25	1,252,992 17 9	24,905 15 6	49,887 1 35	29,368 4 9	692,554 2 12	1,307,266 18 0		

* Inclusive of £4, amount of fees on transfer of occupation licenses. † Inclusive of £34 4s., amount of forfeited deposits.

CROWN LANDS ABSOLUTELY DISPOSED OF WITHOUT SALE.

TABLE showing the Quantities of Crown Lands absolutely disposed of without Sale in the several Provincial Districts for the Year ending 31st December, 1878.

Provincial Districts.	To Immigrants under Immigrants Land Acts.		Reserves Set Apart or Granted for Public Purposes of any kind.	To Europeans or Natives under Native Reserve Acts, &c., or in Fulfilment of Engagements.	To Natives or Europeans by Grants under Native Land Acts.	In Satisfaction of Land Scrip, or otherwise not specified.	Total Land Disposed of without Sale.
	Amount Crown-granted.	Cash for same originally paid by Minister.					
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.	A. R. P.
Auckland	...	80 0 0	40 0 0	...	...	...	80 0 0
Hawke's Bay	4,049 0 24	261 1 0	...	4,310 1 24
Taranaki	...	20 3 11	80 0 0	1,302 3 14	...	...	1,323 2 25
Wellington	...	137 3 5	395 0 0	1,962 3 23	...	28,471 1 10	30,631 3 38
Nelson	0 2 24	...	...	0 2 24
Marlborough	1,006 2 0	1,006 2 0
Canterbury	...	691 1 0	1,132 0 0	15,735 0 0	...	190 0 0	17,007 1 0
Westland	13 2 28	...	150 2 20	164 1 8
Otago (exclusive of Southland)	...	5 3 21	59 6 6	246 1 3	...	...	252 0 24
Southland	...	84 2 0	84 10 0	...	...	...	84 2 0
Totals	...	1,020 0 37	1,790 16 6	23,310 1 36	261 1 0	28,661 1 10	54,861 1 23

LANDS ALIENATED.

TABLE showing, for each Provincial District, the Acreage of Land Alienated from the Crown from the Foundation of the Colony to the 31st December, 1878.

Provincial Districts.	Area of Provincial Districts and Colony.	Area Sold or otherwise Disposed of from Foundation of Colony to 31st December, 1878, including Confiscated Lands Sold prior to 1877.	Confiscated Lands Sold or otherwise Disposed of prior to 1877 (included in previous column).
		Acres.	Acres.
Auckland	...	17,000,000	3,336,013
Taranaki	...	2,290,000	248,309
Hawke's Bay	...	2,950,000	1,073,595
Wellington	...	7,000,000	1,856,599
Nelson	...	7,000,000	1,349,486
Marlborough	...	3,000,000	847,077
Canterbury	...	8,693,027	3,375,274
Westland	...	3,045,760	74,905
Otago	...	16,038,400	3,080,381
Chatham Islands	...	401,920	...
Totals	...	67,419,107	15,241,639
			1,371,470

NOTE.—In the Provincial Districts of Nelson, Marlborough, Canterbury, Westland, and Otago the Native title has become extinct, and the total areas in the hands of Government are therefore the balances of the areas of those provincial districts after deducting the acreages alienated as shown in the second column. In the other provincial districts a large balance of land is still in the hands of Native proprietors. The confiscated lands are situated in the Provincial Districts of Auckland, Taranaki, Hawke's Bay, and Wellington; of these lands 1,371,470 acres were sold up to the end of 1876, since which time no separate account has been kept of the confiscated lands. The gross quantities sold, or otherwise disposed of, of these lands in each provincial district, are now merged in the total quantity of waste lands alienated from the Crown, shown in the second column of this table.

TABLE showing the Quantities of Land in each Provincial District held under Depasturing and other Leases (except for Gold Mining), and of Rents, &c., paid, for the Year ending 31st December, 1878.

Provincial Districts,	For Depasturing Purposes.			Agricultural Leases.			For Mineral and other Purposes.			Remarks.
	No. of Runs.	Rate of Assessment of Run.	No. of Acres.	Rents and Assessments.	No. of Acres.	Rents Paid.	No. of Acres.	Rents Paid.	No. of Acres.	
Auckland	11	...	81,148	R. P. 117 10 0	A. R. P. 117 10 0	A. R. P. 117 10 0	A. R. P. 117 10 0	A. R. P. 117 10 0	A. R. P. 117 10 0	Royalty on 572 tons manganese. Royalty on coal from mine at Kawa-kawa.
Taranaki	23	...	123,146	0 0	...	...	...	80 0 0	10 0 0	Rent of manganese mine at Waiheke. Timber leases. Illegal cutting of timber on Crown land.
Hawke's Bay	...	...	440 19 6	...	...	...	...	371 0 0	203 5 0	...
Wellington	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 15 0	...
Nelson	37	...	173,625	1 28	838 2 4	45,629 2 35	1,175 5 6	5,882 0 6	1,095 7 0	Section 332, Canterbury, and Island of Mana, let by Provincial Government.
Marlborough	62	7d. per sheep; 3s. 6d. per head cattle	379,334	1 18	3,390 11 6	4,516 2 8	...	1,103 1 17	60 0 0	These are leases over 500 acres. Under pastoral leases.
Class I.—37	13	1d. per acre per annum 2d. per acre per annum	20,776	0 0	4,000 0 0	245 17 9	...	...	...	Under pastoral licenses.
Canterbury	1	9,088	4,000	0 0	264,631 0 0	4,008 17 0	...	...	...	Canterbury Association pre-emptive right.
Westland	II.—172	...	3,336,097	0 0	327,920 0 0	28,559 13 0	700 4 1	...	...	Under 5,000 acres. Of 5,000 acres and upwards.
Otago (exclusive of Southland)	III.—301	1d. per acre	57,910	19 7	5,580,016 0 0	57,910 19 7	86,709 0 19	12,581 4 5	51 5 0	...
Southland	29	2d. per acre	751,027	0 0	5,587 5 9	5,587 5 9	...	...	...	...
Totals	1,072	...	13,109,955	3 6	106,886 5 2	132,338 3 14	13,756 9 11	18,586 1 33	3,305 0 11	3,305 0 11

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS.—PRODUCE RAISED.

TABLE showing the Estimated Gross Produce of the Crops of Wheat, Oats, Barley, Hay, and Potatoes in each Provincial District, according to Returns collected in February, 1879, and February, 1878, respectively; with the Averages per Acre, and the Centesimal Proportions for each Provincial District, of the Total Produce of each Crop.

Provincial Districts.	Year.	Wheat.			Oats.			Barley.			Hay.			Potatoes.								
		Acres.	Bushels.	Aver. Acre.	Centesiml. Proportion.	Acres.	Bushels.	Aver. Acre.	Centesiml. Proportion.	Acres.	Bushels.	Aver. Acre.	Centesiml. Proportion.	Acres.	Tons.	Aver. Acre.						
Auckland	...	1879 { 1878	6,635 5,073	158,293 118,357	24 23½	2,60 1,87	4,048 3,229	100,437 66,470	25 20½	1,20 1,13	369 198	9,721 4,571	264 23	1,37 0·79	11,927 10,560	14,155 12,504	1 1	21·74 21·31	4,170 4,589	1,5,737 2,2,713	4½ 5	20·57 24·05
Taranaki	...	1879 { 1878	2,265 2,069	57,786 45,628	25½ 22	0·95 0·72	1,797 699	56,602 23,210	33 31½	0·71 0·37	170 91	4,812 2,470	28 27	0·68 0·43	1,854 1,962	2,904 2,999	1½ 1½	4·46 5·12	534 518	3½ 2,194	2·28 4½	2·33
Hawke's Bay	...	1879 { 1878	1,668 678	33,560 16,596	20 23	0·55 0·26	3,830 2,055	80,345 51,272	21 25	0·96 0·87	483 334	9,166 9,456	19 28½	1·29 1·65	5,466 3,646	5,448 4,159	1 1	8·37 7·99	608 617	2,075 3,441	3½ 5½	2·41 3·64
Wellington	...	1879 { 1878	7,670 5,891	187,698 159,121	24 27	3·09 2·54	10,852 6,543	~ 314,528 182,907	29 28	3·76 3·08	299 367	7,417 9,687	25 26½	1·05 1·68	7,109 8,247	10,630 5,826	1½ 1½	16·33 14·05	1,333 1,324	7,144 7,113	5½ 5½	8·29 7·53
Marlborough	...	1879 { 1878	2,563 3,017	69,588 74,389	27 24½	1·15 1·17	2,591 1,668	84,204 45,448	32½ 27½	1·01 0·76	2,757 2,865	89,778 72,528	32½ 25½	1·265 1·257	1,177 718	1,691 885	1½ 1½	2·60 1·52	450 419	2,456 2,349	5½ 5½	2·85 2·48
Nelson	...	1879 { 1878	3,224 2,794	61,955 45,817	19 16½	1·02 0·72	3,013 1,422	75,138 28,010	25 19½	0·90 0·48	2,345 2,074	56,585 37,683	24 18½	7·97 6·53	3,802 2,500	4,783 2,737	1½ 1	7·34 4·67	1,008 1,033	4,636 5,473	4½ 5½	5·38 5·79
Westland	...	1879 { 1878	...	...	...	10	...	8 458	180 50½	...	...	...	...	...	182 269	249 297	1½ 1	0·38 0·50	208 285	789 1,257	3½ 4½	0·91 1·33
Canterbury	...	1879 { 1878	173,895 147,255	3,621,820 3,400,953	21 32½	59,60 53,68	128,384 2,398,943	3,237,462 2,398,943	25 27½	3868 40·46	17,062 13,757	371,009 335,733	21½ 24½	52·27 58·20	11,749 10,126	10,864 14,288	1 1	16·69 24·35	4,614 4,419	26,767 26,786	5½ 6	31·04 28·35
Otago	...	1879 { 1878	66,941 76,628	1,885,904 2,475,498	28 32½	31·04 39·07	123,508 87,924	4,416,690 3,134,244	35½ 35½	5·278 5·285	5·181 3·027	161,287 104,695	31 34½	22·72 18·15	10,237 9,483	14,380 12,555	1½ 1½	22·99 21·39	4,390 4,360	22,651 23,152	5½ 5½	26·27 24·50
Totals	...	1879 { 1878	264,861 243,406	6,076,604 6,336,369	23 26½	100·00 100·00	278,031 190,344	8,368,586 5,929,962	30 31	100·00 100·00	28,666 22,713	709,775 516,823	25 25½	100·00 100·00	53,503 58,671	65,104 58,671	1½ 1½	100·00 100·00	17,315 17,564	86,220 94,478	5½ 5½	100·00 100·00
Increase in 1879	21,455	...	25,765	...	...	87,694	2,438,624	...	...	5,953	132,952	...	...	6,433	...	...	...	...	...
Decrease in 1879	249	8,258	...	...	...

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS.—SUMMARY BY COUNTIES.

Counties,	Population.	Numbers of Holdings over One Acre in Extent.		In Wheat.		In Oats.		In Barley.		In Potatoes.		In other Crops.		In Hay.		In Grasses, including Land in Hay, not previously ploughed.		
		Rented.	Freehold.	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	For Green Hay or For Grain.	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in bushels).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).	Acres.	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).	Acres.	Estimated Gross Produce (in tons).	
		Part Rent-free, Part Paid.	Holdings, &c., in Extent of one Acre.	Acres.	Extent of Land broken up, but not under Crop.	Acres.	Extent of Land broken up, but not under Crop.	Acres.	Extent of Land broken up, but not under Crop.	Acres.	Extent of Land broken up, but not under Crop.	Acres.	Extent of Land broken up, but not under Crop.	Acres.	Extent of Land broken up, but not under Crop.	Acres.	Extent of Land broken up, but not under Crop.	
Mongonui	1,204	97	37	12	146	198	32	24	125	68	245	183	315	88	138	3,383	1,656	
Bay of Islands...	1,489	84	9	13	106	43	16	18	456	55	122	16	171	188	211	3,276	9,538	
Hokianga...	419	13	4	2	19	6	2	14	484	4	11	6	100	...	...	44	1,107
Whangarei	2,171	140	14	9	163	78	43	68	2,434	50	220	157	373	94	635	5,792	13,967	
Rodney	2,906	493	13	8	424	963	143	179	168	186	735	403	577	9,229	19,762	38,344		
Waitemata	3,424	320	26	11	510	879	39	804	2,951	55	273	194	1,985	320	4,05	8,379	16,736	
Eden	3,0448	381	149	58	35	588	22	460	445	14	2,539	1,960	18	551	2,734	1,753	2,733	
Manukau	11,195	1,151	107	41	1,299	10,932	3,596	1,296	495	41	1,996	1,727	4205	6,310	1,351	8,759	47,858	
Cotomanie	2,053	36	7	6	49	81	2	54	45	21	280	1	12	31	123	22	447	
Thames	10,375	60	61	14	135	457	29	363	161	7	128	128	45	146	390	101	823	
Piako	447	30	3	2	35	9,379	558	11,280	595	43	880	6	150	57	225	1,280	2,539	
Tauranga	1,550	120	15	16	151	1,445	144	3,022	540	79	1,950	-22	363	172	676	304	666	
Whakatane	783	74	18	17	109	115	299	6,697	56	112	2,632	6	120	108	516	361	248	
East Taupo	95	...	3	...	3	6	1	20	11	345	...	3	...	3	26	17	33	
West Taupo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raglan	797	60	6	9	75	769	36	486	177	78	2,036	2	27	81	332	62	436	
Waipa	3,259	288	19	15	322	3,325	365	8,997	408	445	816	455	2,294	1,110	2,831	1,686	49,556	
Waihato	2,460	170	35	19	224	1,117	468	8,149	2,810	673	21,402	17	380	1,408	343	4,606	1,209	4,864
Kawhia	69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cook	2,745	70	86	42	198	2,590	596	12,976	149	330	6,579	16	465	108	202	549	1,748	
Wairoa	809	29	16	30	75	1,442	52	1,26	1,11	109	1,898	7	90	41	153	46	366	
Taranaki	7,369	461	134	78	673	1,560	1,555	39,206	121	687	14,537	117	3,077	477	1,597	347	3,304	
Patea	2,988	152	80	70	302	635	113	4,290	43	1,599	6,1760	54	1,775	92	5,927	2,927	59,578	
Hawke's Bay	9,559	141	94	47	282	7,375	514	11,833	478	1,175	25,056	196	4,579	404	1,522	835	40,174	
Hawera	4,721	298	41	29	368	5,752	1,119	20,681	556	2,591	53,984	287	4,587	178	4,33	5,768	1,332	
Wanganui	6,308	167	40	316	1,242	34,400	233	887	39,960	13	344	221	1,518	100	2,096	1,438	23,574	
Rangitikei	3,690	171	47	16	234	1,542	4,462	4,7862	67	3,338	9,176	175	4,460	128	608	1,539	65,123	
Manawatu	5,330	277	95	50	422	777	2,002	55,769	1,952	56,240	1,626	275	1,310	145	1,934	1,594	11,900	
Hutt	2,960	461	223	66	750	160	30	550	238	10,122	1	30	348	1,892	196	1,645	2,439	
Wairarapa West	7,163	444	84	52	580	2,488	14,12	3,219	94,740	40	752	287	1,457	330	5,468	1,219	18,826	
Wairarapa East	1,100	57	20	22	99	946	119	2,305	129	603	14,995	5	165	39	306	407	2,811	
Sounds	6,117	62	374	4	54	130	29	50	130	2	40	130	36	68	17	30	277	3,937
Marborough	6,117	246	66	62	374	2,509	5	54	130	2	40	130	30	33	30	30	285	29,369
Kaikoura	782	347	72	13	449	7,043	6	54	130	2	40	130	201	6,154	1,436	1,436	1,436	4,533

Collingwood	1,477	111	33	44	188	94	44	824	129	105	2,961	11	305	572	111	566	415	5,220	
Waimaea	13,641	572	211	152	935	1,255	3,001	56,262	1,986	2,287	54,235	2,310	55,663	663	2,888	802	11,049	2,685	16,688
Buller	...	19	57	7	83	282	4	84	32	2	42	1	59	170	19	31	31	974	
Inangahua	...	22	105	11	138	1,712	...	...	462	69	1,340	...	...	109	610	17	251	796
Grey	...	7,667	79	88	12	179	295	4	...	382	10	512	...	...	62	255	24	4,311
Westland	...	11,606	112	84	14	210	84	...	...	344	8	180	...	...	199	763	61	6,493
Anuiti	...	458	18	9	14	41	1,591	107	2,780	478	379	1,2710	23	55	34	1,218	1,198	9,811	
Cheviot	...	117	2	...	2	4	500	64	1,925	25	161	3,330	...	...	7	30	400	49
Ashley	...	12,842	553	179	162	894	7,993	13,581	301,628	1,333	1,7069	36,870	1,933	40,845	933	4,719	8,996	42,945	
Akaroa	...	4,364	253	78	49	380	188	641	18,204	119	451	1,2165	173	5,165	62	327	1,825	2,666	
Selwyn	...	50,720	1,177	495	170	1,842	19,344	40,897	780,368	6,989	31,934	598,327	5,542	11,2707	2,630	16,899	104,312	4,926	
Ashubton	...	6,123	326	119	59	524	46,412	64,880	1,139,025	4,800	23,472	515,204	5,980	12,788	261	1,244	49,834	149,225	
Waimeate	...	4,269	189	64	21	274	21,016	19,154	569,020	309	24,060	89,3738	781	27,575	261	1,452	58,030	766	
Geraldine	...	13,164	498	189	102	578	25,530	34,742	813,575	1,638	31,400	854,158	2,653	61,929	467	2,126	18,067	88,967	
Waitaki	...	1,595	230	119	117	466	26,774	28,188	719,074	907	26,004	913,966	2,416	72,579	816	4,407	5,946	1,777	
Waikouaiti	...	9,927	424	160	64	648	3,685	6,846	224,724	1,295	8,805	249,216	497	19,737	456	1,278	6,377	18,997	
Vincent	...	3,937	31	107	20	158	800	687	19,508	396	3,398	96,725	83	2,205	161	484	41	4,766	
Maniototo	...	2,801	18	108	9	135	248	168	5794	598	2,668	79,361	24	675	175	539	501	4,974	
Lake	...	3,533	56	129	36	221	2,267	2,807	635	1,998	6,455	153	6,055	202	1,001	594	1,335	1,642	
Taieti	...	43,117	342	171	65	578	3,719	5,167	175,912	2,807	9,733	38,437	206	8,385	571	3,514	3,334	28,429	
Peninsula	...	2,195	173	73	7	253	7	14	670	389	362	15,668	9	370	100	496	310	1,184	
Tuapeka	...	7,109	185	147	94	426	3,176	3,667	123,510	867	7,259	280,359	265	7,017	411	2,135	5,816	18,285	
Bruce	...	5,995	318	72	53	443	7,460	6,002	178,170	546	13,270	469,068	319	10,997	350	1,901	8,341	28,828	
Clutha	...	4,550	308	65	420	7,331	4,165	114,913	650	13,399	48,028	35	1,230	27,661	740	9,141	1,471	1,251	
Southland	...	16,315	675	324	104	1,103	17,268	8,882	230,120	7,768	20,649	1,110,575	1,065	34,290	730	3,716	2,403	34,37	
Wallace	...	3,261	123	55	48	220	4,634	348	10,696	2,295	7,023	272,232	199	6,747	1,34	624	8,144	1,781	
Fiord	...	1,3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stewart Island	...	245	7	1	...	8	35	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	6	19	...	1
Totals	...	410,645	13,762	4,938	2,348	21,048	265,512	264,861	6,076,604	49,308	278,037	8,368,616	28,666	709,775	17,315	86,221	181,265	819,452	53,504
																		65,104	
																		1,251,141	
																		1,646,761	

N.B.—The population of the several counties in the above table is according to the census of 3rd March, 1878, but does not include the numbers in the shipping in the various harbours, or the Chatham and other Islands not included in any county.

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS.—LAND IN CULTIVATION.—RETURN FOR ELEVEN YEARS.
TABLE showing, for each Provincial District of New Zealand, the Population for each Year, the occupied Holdings, with the Total Area in Cultivation, and the Number of Acres under each Description of Crop, according to Returns collected in February and March, 1869, 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, 1875, 1876, 1877, 1878, and 1879.

Provincial Districts	Years	Number of Holdings,			Number of Acres under Crop.			Under Green Crops.			In Sown Grasses.			Total Acreage under all kinds of Crops (including Sown Grasses), and of Land broken up, but not under Crop.					
								Oats	Total under Grain Crops.	Potatoes	Other Crops.	Total under Green and other Crops.	In Grass land (including land in Hay) after having been broken up.	In Sown Lands (including land in Hay)	Land broken up, but not under Crop.	Green Crops.	Other Crops.		
		Freehold.	Rented.	Part Rented, part Freehold.	Totals.	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Total under Grain Crops.	Oats sown for Green Food.	Potatoes.	Total under Green and other Crops.	In Grass land (including land in Hay) after having been broken up.	In Sown Lands (including land in Hay)	Land broken up, but not under Crop.	Land broken up, but not under Crop.	Land broken up, but not under Crop.		
Auckland	...	1869	50,003	1,111	2,667	9,572	2,321	1,797	134	4,252	...	3,278	1,370	4,648	3,972	113,494	131,066	726 3'22 3'52	
	1870	52,405	1,110	3,170	12,090	1,544	1,413	122	3,079	1,551	3,796	1,534	6,881	4,05	133,036	155,086	780 1'98 4'44		
†1871	54,448	1,111	1,854	13,990	1,082	1,772	135	2,989	...	3,301	2,581	5,882	6,062	173751	196,612	712 1'52 2'99	88,37		
1872	64,332	1,111	3,767	10,419	2,456	2,136	265	4,857	3,612	3,836	2,256	9,704	5,883	181,521	206,501	5'05 2'35 4'70	87,90		
1873	66,890	1,111	3,842	16,102	3,143	1,866	217	5,455	4,237	3,475	2,127	9,839	7,106	198,472	224,578	4'83 2'43 4'38	88,36		
1874	69,867	1,111	3,926	32,868	1,821	2,537	227	5,191	2,190	3,487	1,915	7,552	6,264	214,699	243,594	6'61 2'13 3'12	88,14		
1875	73,362	1,111	3,902	13,891	4,002	2,334	282	5,694	3,476	3,128	1,919	8,553	10,211	256,870	333,955	10'81 1'87 2'81	84,51		
1876	79,104	1,111	546	195	2,204	1,946	207	4,354	3,814	3,351	1,2325	10,396	12,665	349,531	379,880	3'75 1'64 2'80	91,81		
1877	82,661	1,111	5,229	25,138	5,973	5,073	198	8,590	3,965	4,539	1,942	10,925	9,692	185,342	159,040	5'56 1'14 2'87	90,43		
1878	85,773	1,111	5,975	684	277	4,666	369	5,950	4,589	4,637	1,919	10,560	17,3121	231,713	451,663	5'88 1'88 2'93	89,63		
1879	85,773	1,111	648	318	4,946	3,422	6,635	4,048	369	11,052	7,800	18,377	11,111	213,055	227,723	5'91 2'19 3'64	87,26		
Taranaki	...	1869	4,491	1,111	...	421	924	815	329	120	1,264	...	703	214	917	728	17,340	20,445	4'52 6'18 4'49
	1870	4,600	1,111	489	810	1,031	252	1,411	128	1,411	16	639	211	866	289	22,437	25,524	3'17 5'53 3'39	
†1871	4,749	1,111	245	3,232	872	433	1,648	1,648	163	432	...	383	815	351	20,643	24,249	5'46 6'05 3'36	85,13	
1872	4,599	1,111	414	1,536	986	500	104	1,650	104	87	447	281	815	504	20,722	24,723	6'22 6'67 3'29	83,82	
1873	4,756	1,111	492	3,193	1,052	3,24	52	1,428	131	530	322	983	578	30,940	35,744	6'69 4'00 2'75	86,56		
1874	4,906	1,111	557	946	3,139	946	363	1,338	29	1,338	82	478	215	735	41,070	41,322	6'78 2'89 1'67	88,66	
1875	6,373	1,111	560	1,356	745	479	2	1,226	91	410	288	789	876	54,928	58,299	2'33 2'33 2'35	94,22		
1876	7,659	1,111	592	1,575	821	775	20	1,616	189	483	267	939	1,380	58,020	61,221	86,315 1'34 1'34	93,36		
1877	8,288	1,111	711	113	745	1,016	712	48	1,776	178	596	269	1,043	1,090	21,119	54,982	80,855 1'80 1'80	95,39	
1878	9,463	1,111	212	143	851	2,069	699	91	2,859	88	518	240	1,962	20,717	69,392	101,344 2'12 4'18	93,62		
1879	9,812	1,111	562	197	124	883	2,265	1,797	170	4,232	141	534	350	1,025	1,854	1,904	2,111 2'11 4'05	92,69	
Hawke's Bay	...	1869	5,499	1,111	...	336	2,313	715	1,055	257	2,027	...	331	97	428	1,692	27,780	32,548	7'11 6'22 1'32
	1870	5,680	1,111	339	4,630	374	2,083	200	4,13	127	1,672	...	250	580	2,139	62,218	69,584	7'28 2'47 0'83	87,13
†1871	5,835	1,111	269	638	838	1,725	249	1,725	252	1,528	239	237	90	566	1,440	70,230	74,770	3'27 2'04 0'76	93,93
1872	6,212	1,111	359	2,446	616	660	252	1,439	501	284	106	951	1,964	85,162	85,162	3'73 1'69 1'11	93,47		
1873	7,295	1,111	351	3,178	474	733	232	1,439	198	324	1,193	176	225	110	511	1,848	115,337	127,188 7'98 0'94	96,68
1874	7,792	1,111	388	10,147	3,588	1,209	97	1,344	476	394	624	1,494	3,583	20,150	264,482	207,935 1'72 0'65	0'72 0'61 0'61	96,91	
1875	11,122	1,111	492	5,637	1,450	1,450	126	1,666	90	1,666	910	496	297	1,793	4,117	45,772	276,978	273,488 2'06 0'61	96,71
1876	13,000	1,111	551	581	1,115	144	1,527	118	1,789	494	448	432	1,374	3,555	631	1,955	5,646	379,094 2'30 0'68	95,76
1877	14,154	1,111	345	157	79	165	93	2,055	678	334	3,067	631	797	1,904	5,981	5,981	5,981 2'15 0'68	96,73	
1878	15,015	1,111	436	1446	1,668	1,668	705	14,446	483	3,830	483	1,115	608	1,904	3,627	5,466	5,466 2'05 0'67	95,55	
1879	15,577	1,111	458	150	97	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150 2'05 0'67	95,55	

*† See foot-notes at end of table.

in
Hay,
or Sown
Grasses,
Artificial
Pasture

Wellington	...	1869	23,011	...	1,170	10,886	2,587	239	4,181	...	754	369	1,123	2,801	120,014	136,204	8,00	3,06	0,83	88,11					
	1870	23,846	...	...	1,356	2,647	2,350	633	6,002	3,07	983	402	1,692	3,554	176,581	186,022	1,42	3,21	0,99	94,47			
+1871	24,736	...	...	1,041	8,494	1,869	3,427	724	6,020	...	779	123	893	3,268	184,245	199,652	4,26	3,01	0,45	92,28			
1872	25,218	...	...	1,485	3,669	1,952	2,854	333	5,139	3,36	799	330	1,465	4,039	193,488	203,171	1,51	2,53	0,72	95,24			
1873	27,269	...	...	1,517	2,596	1,770	2,358	190	4,318	370	825	360	1,555	3,280	250,211	258,680	1,00	1,67	0,60	96,73			
1874	29,717	...	...	1,624	8,659	1,788	2,839	130	4,757	435	868	213	1,516	4,712	270,679	285,611	3,03	1,67	0,53	94,77			
1875	35,697	...	...	1,555	9,325	3,655	3,655	195	4,805	947	973	384	2,394	4,801	295,239	311,975	2,99	1,54	0,74	94,73			
1876	39,800	...	...	1,880	6,567	1,426	5,688	172	7,386	862	1,937	470	2,369	5,258	4,23,146	439,388	1,50	1,65	0,54	96,31			
1877	43,383	5,009	1,544	1,478	563	198	2,239	125,538	2,940	1,339	677	4,556	5,753	98,977	599,255	2,09	1,55	0,68	95,68				
1878	51,009	1,628	595	270	2,493	7,279	10,852	367	12,781	673	1,324	402	5,826	77,298	500,354	6,39,990	6,04	2,03	0,38	91,55			
1879	54,149	1,628	595	270	2,493	7,279	18,821	299	1,026	1,333	1,319	3,678	7,109	91,450	587,961	1,03	2,66	0,52	95,79				
Marlborough	...	1869	4,487	326	2,188	2,363	1,256	1,453	5,072	...	238	494	1,086	13,378	21,132	10,35	24,00	2,34	63,31				
	1870	4,662	345	1,791	2,725	965	2,230	5,920	574	255	310	1,139	689	16,943	25,703	6,94	22,95	4,42	65,69				
+1871	4,822	...	...	226	2,673	1,800	1,314	2,422	5,536	...	192	93	1,204	15,914	24,408	10,95	22,68	1,17	65,20				
1872	5,385	...	...	343	1,923	2,686	1,439	5,264	5,264	558	221	143	922	756	22,127	30,236	6,36	17,41	3,05	73,18			
1873	5,545	348	1,364	2,309	2,048	890	1,382	5,247	918	215	185	1,318	607	28,654	36,583	3,73	14,34	3,60	78,33				
1874	5,708	...	...	320	2,732	1,854	1,315	2,301	5,470	694	198	125	1,017	696	20,527	29,527	9,25	18,53	3,46	68,70			
1875	6,533	...	...	393	2,881	1,129	1,697	1,775	4,601	1,040	268	176	1,484	732	29,733	38,089	7,45	11,89	3,83	76,83			
1876	7,205	...	...	499	2,039	1,084	2,192	2,138	5,414	1,684	285	390	2,359	921	28,333	38,145	5,35	14,19	6,18	74,28			
1877	7,737	67	287	67	57	411	1,484	1,492	3,012	755	350	858	17,961	19,951	45,727	5,09	12,90	3,04	78,97				
1878	7,557	315	74	64	453	4,394	3,017	1,668	2,865	7,550	897	419	332	1,048	718	15,227	29,205	58,024	7,57	2,84	6,57	80,65	
1879	7,809	313	76	86	475	3,012	2,563	2,591	2,757	7,911	1,127	450	727	2,304	1,177	17,297	37,836	63,30	4,41	11,57	3,37	80,65	
Nelson	...	1869	24,457	1,031	10,369	2,574	1,819	956	5,349	...	825	899	1,724	3,440	47,564	47,521	13,31	12,84	3,63	63,33			
	1870	25,167	1,151	6,957	3,124	2,323	1,271	6,718	2,154	1,048	733	3,935	2,360	34,681	52,201	11,30	13,99	3,60	71,11				
+1871	25,812	...	...	925	5,948	2,696	3,424	1,247	7,367	...	984	912	1,896	4,066	37,432	52,043	11,30	13,99	3,60	71,11			
1872	23,042	...	...	1,158	4,080	3,522	2,383	563	6,468	2,870	1,002	558	4,430	1,913	49,180	55,158	7,40	11,72	8,03	72,85			
1873	23,591	...	...	1,222	4,580	3,576	1,996	820	6,302	2,226	1,137	767	5,130	1,887	54,747	83,735	11,51	9,37	7,75	70,75			
1874	24,188	...	...	1,112	3,661	3,778	2,601	3,267	1,921	6,880	2,607	962	5,90	4,159	43,651	58,777	6,49	12,87	7,10	74,64			
1875	23,971	...	...	1,234	2,561	1,850	3,317	921	6,088	2,173	1,064	1,204	4,441	2,487	49,787	62,877	4,98	9,68	7,06	79,18			
1876	24,620	...	...	1,260	2,449	1,534	2,449	1,350	5,606	2,757	1,371	2,402	6,530	3,109	57,629	72,14	3,39	7,76	9,04	78,81			
1877	25,581	442	216	3,356	8,844	1,607	2,117	1,927	5,651	1,063	2,241	5,717	2,799	35,113	50,057	9,27	5,93	5,99	81,01				
1878	25,128	725	459	280	1,464	2,867	1,422	2,794	1,422	2,974	6,290	1,033	1,018	4,586	2,161	37,421	2,319	3,96	8,70	6,33	83,03		
1879	26,133	774	481	241	1,496	5,499	3,224	3,913	2,345	8,582	3,045	1,008	2,503	6,976	3,802	36,639	57,068	14,764	4,79	7,48	6,08	81,65	
Westland	...	1869	13,442	86	93	...	25	1	26	...	178	99	277	35	379	379	3,63	3,35	35,75	48,90			
	1870	14,010	136	65	...	15	2	17	67	...	80	378	82	221	307	826	6,35	1,995	5,94	15,55	34,52		
+1871	14,307	109	243	1	34	...	35	1	8	280	218	96	594	1119	1,336	1,325	18,34	2,64	16,68	6,234	12,84		
1872	15,381	184	215	...	184	7	7	13	13	13	13	268	246	97	603	1,957	2,122	3,448	2,013	17,53	62,05		
1873	15,176	208	70	...	208	70	7	13	13	13	13	286	242	71	599	280	1,122	4,242	6,58	14,44	16,59		
1874	15,369	204	688	2	251	279	17	40	4	61	378	232	94	704	176	3,193	3,688	4,650	3,85	13,67	75,39		
1875	15,377	289	179	...	289	179	4	4	4	4	349	319	113	781	255	2,389	3,688	4,650	3,85	13,67	75,39		
1876	15,990	159	4	302	216	6	6	6	6	6	357	245	98	700	238	2,399	2,113	5,434	3,799	1,128	83,03		
1877	17,320	139	6	293	468	1	1	10	10	10	10	193	285	57	555	269	2,122	2,852	5,987	3,781	6,17	83,08	
1878	16,932	124	6	293	468	15	15	282	314	314	8	9	8	373	208	68	649	182	5,437	8,989	3,49	7,22	89,20
1879	16,998	161	106	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15

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Provincial Districts.	Years.	Number of Holdings.		Number of Acres under Crop.						In Sown Grasses.						Percentages to Total Acreage as shown in the Preceding Columns of the Table.						
				Under Grain Crops.			Under Green and other Crops.			Total under Green and other Crops.			In Grass land (in- cluding land in Hay after having been broken up, but not ploughed).			Grass-sown lands (in- cluding lands in Hay) not previously ploughed.			Other Pastures, or Sown Grasses, and Artificial Crops.			
		Freehold.	Rented.	Totals.	Part Rents, Perc.	Oats.	Wheat.	Barley.	Total under Grain Crops.	Oats sown for Food.	Potatoes.	Other Crops.	Total under Green and other Crops.	In Grass land (in- cluding land in Hay after having been broken up, but not ploughed).	In Sown Grasses,	Grass-sown lands (in- cluding lands in Hay) not previously ploughed.	Other Pastures, or Sown Grasses, and Artificial Crops.	Crop, but broken under Land broken up, but not under Crop.	Green Crops.	Crops, but broken under Land broken up, but not under Crop.		
Canterbury	... 1869	40,714	... 1870	42,852	... 1871	45,653	... 1872	48,837	... 1873	51,441	... 1874	55,204	... 1875	71,316	... 1876	78,715	... 1877	84,602	... 1878	91,922	... 1879	96,104
		2,872	3,244	3,526	3,510	3,619	3,619	3,717	3,969	4,175	4,175	4,175	4,175	4,175	4,175	4,175	4,175	4,175	4,175	4,175	4,175	
		... 1869	... 1870	... 1871	... 1872	... 1873	... 1874	... 1875	... 1876	... 1877	... 1878	... 1879										
Otago (including Southland)	1869	60,324	1870	63,832	1871	73,842	1872	75,846	1873	77,554	1874	83,957	1875	98,967	1876	109,568	1877	115,680	1878	114,469	1879	119,965
		3,023	3,237	3,016	3,663	3,663	3,663	3,705	4,6423	4,7913	4,7913	4,7913	4,7913	4,7913	4,7913	4,7913	4,7913	4,7913	4,7913	4,7913	4,7913	
		... 1869	... 1870	... 1871	... 1872	... 1873	... 1874	... 1875	... 1876	... 1877	... 1878	... 1879										
Totals (exclusive of Chat-ham Islands)	1869	226,618	1870	237,249	1871	248,420	1872	266,986	1873	279,560	1874	295,946	1875	341,860	1876	375,711	1877	398,938	1878	414,216	1879	432,320
		... 1869	... 1870	... 1871	... 1872	... 1873	... 1874	... 1875	... 1876	... 1877	... 1878	... 1879										

* The population in 1878 are the numbers ascertained for each provincial district by a census of the colony taken for the 3rd. March in that year.

† In 1869 and 1871 separate accounts of the quantities of land sown in oats for green crops were not taken. Such quantities for those years are included under the headings of "Hay" or "Other Crops."

‡ In February, 1871, Returns of Agricultural Statistics were obtained only for grain crops, hay, and potatoes, other and more detailed information being obtained through the general census of the colony taken for the 27th of the same month. The number of holdings given in the table for that year will not, therefore, admit of any accurate comparison, so far, with the other years included in it.

Note.—In the Returns of Agricultural Statistics as above summarized, gardens and orchards attached to residences, holdings of a less extent than one acre, and holdings occupied by aboriginal natives, are not included.

PATENTS.

NUMBER and Nature of Letters Patent and Letters of Registration applied for in New Zealand from 1861 to 1878, inclusive.

Nature of Invention.	Number of Applications.							Nature of Invention.	Number of Applications.						
	1861 to 1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.		1861 to 1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.	1878.
Addition, Machine for	Motive Power	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Adipocere	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	Navvy	...	...	...	...	4 (1*) 2	...	...
Advertising	I	...	...	Nickel, Manufacture, &c., of	...	...	...	...	...	I	...
Aerated Beverages, and Bottles for	2	...	I	...	...	2	...	Nitro-Glycerine	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Aerated Bread and Flour	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	Ovens, Colonial	...	...	...	I	...	...	...
Air Engine	2	...	...	Oxide of Iron	...	...	...	I	...	...	...
Amalgamating, &c. (see also Gold-Mining)	I	...	...	Packing Rings for Pistons	...	...	I	...	...	...	...
Anchors	I	I	I	*I	Paddle-wheels	...	...	I	...	...	...	...
Artificial Fuel	...	I	...	I	I	I	*I	Paint	...	...	I	...	...	...	...
" Stone, &c.	...	I	...	...	...	...	2	Paper, Manufacture of	I	...	I	...	...	...	...
" Manures	I	...	...	...	Peat, Use of	I	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ascent of Inclines, Engines for Asphalte	I	...	...	Photographs, Ornamenting	I	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bleaching and Cleaning Wool	I	I	...	...	...	...	...	Phormium tenax and other Fibrous Materials	28	*2 (2*) 5	...	...	...	2	I
Blowing Machine	*I	...	...	...	Pipes, Making Soft Metal	I	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boots, &c., Brushing	I	...	...	" Manufacture of	I	...	...	...	...	...	I
Boring through Rock, &c.	...	I	...	...	I	...	3	" Rivetting Iron	...	I	...	...	...	...	...
Bottles, Extracting Corks from Bricks	I	...	3	Planing Stones	...	I	...	...	2	...	I
Bricks	Ploughing, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Beer, &c., Extracts of Broadcast Seed-sowing	I	...	Pneuma-hydro Locomotive	...	...	I	...	...	...	...
Brooms, Cabbage-tree	I	...	Preserving Crops	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Calendering and Glazing	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	" Animal and Vegetable Substances	3	2	3	...	...	...	...
Candlesticks	" Timber	I	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carriage Brakes	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	Preserved Food, Tins for	I	...	I	...	...	...	...
Casks, Buoys, &c.	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	Presses for Wool, &c.	I	...	I	...	(1*) 3	I	...
Cattle, &c., Label	I	...	...	Propelling Carriages, Vessels, &c.	I	I	...	...	...	...	...
Cement	...	I	...	I	...	...	...	Pulverizing, &c. (see also Mining)	...	...	...	I	...	...	...
Chaff Cutter	I	...	...	Pumps	...	(1*) 2	...	...	...	...	I
Clipping Horses, &c.	Pyrites, Copper, Purifying	...	...	...	I	...	...	I
Cooking Range, &c.	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	Rabbit Traps	...	...	...	I	...	...	I
Cooling and Freezing	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	Railway Brakes	...	...	...	I	...	...	4
Concrete Columns, Piles, &c.	I	...	...	Railway Sleepers	...	...	...	I	...	...	...
Cutlery, Polishing, &c.	I	...	...	Railways, Tramways, &c.	5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dam	2	...	...	Raising Vessels	I	...	...	...	...	...	...
Decorating Shops	Reaping and Mowing	4	2	...	I	...	...	...
Deodorizing	Reaping and Binding	...	...	I	...	...	I	2
Depilatory Powder	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	Reclamation of Land, &c.	...	...	I	...	...	...	I
Discs for Screwed Stamper Shanks	I	...	...	...	Reflectors	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dish Drainers	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	Removing Earth	7	I	I	2	I	2	(1*) 2
Distilling	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	Retorts, Charging, &c.	...	...	I	...	...	...	...
Dock, Floating	I	...	...	...	Rice, Cleaning	...	...	I	...	...	...	...
Drain Pipes	*I	...	...	...	Rotary Engine	...	...	...	I	...	...	...
Dredging, &c.	I	I	...	...	Rowlocks for Boats	...	...	...	I	...	...	...
Dressing Millstones	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	Sawing Timber, &c.	I	*I	*I	...	...	...	...
Drying Clothes	...	*I	...	...	...	...	...	Scab, Cure of	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Earth Closet	*I	...	...	...	...	Scarifiers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Excavating Machines	I	...	...	...	Seed Stripper	...	...	...	...	...	...	I
Explosive Compounds	2	I	...	...	2	...	3	Sewage and Manure	...	...	I	...	...	...	2
Fencing	...	I	...	(1*) 2	I	...	...	Shafts or Poles for Carriages and Horses	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
Filter-Press	I	...	Shearing and Clipping Sheep	3	I	...	...	...	I	...
Fire Grate	I	...	...	Sheep and Cattle Label	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fire, Prevention of	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	Sheep Shears	...	...	I	...	...	...	...
Flagging, &c.	I	...	...	Sheep Washing, Shearing, &c.	3	I	...	...	2	I	...
Fluids, Conduction of, &c.	*I	...	...	...	Shingles, &c., Splitting, &c.	...	...	*I	...	...	...	...
Fuel, Self-ventilating	I	...	...	Signal Buoy, Automatic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fumes, Collecting	I	...	...	Stamp Printing Press	...	*I	...	...	...	...	...
Furnaces	2	I	2	...	I	I	...	Steam Carriages	...	...	...	...	...	...	I
Gas, Manufacture of	I	...	I	...	I	...	...	Steam, Condensing and Warming by Steam Hammer	...	...	I	...	...	...	...
Gas Motor Engines	I	...	...	Stearic and Oleic Acids	I	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gaslight, Controller, &c.	I	...	...	Stone-breaking and Shearing	2	...	...	I	...	...	...
Gates, Automatic	I	...	...	Stone, &c., Lifting Blocks of Straw Elevators, Shakers, Grain Savers, Binders, &c.	...	...	...	...	...	2	
Girder, Compound Suspension	I	...	...	Sugar, Manufacture of	I	...	...	I	...	...	...
Gold, Dredging and Boring	I	...	...	Tannin, Extraction of	...	...	I	...	...	I	...
Grinding, Crushing, &c. (see also Gold-Mining)	5	I	I	2	...	...	...	Telegraphs	6	I	I	...	...	...	I
Gum for Commerce	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	Telephones	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Harvesting Machine	2	I	Threshing, &c., Machines	...	...	I	...	...	...	I
Heating Air, &c.	I	...	...	I	I	Timber Jack	...	...	...	...	...	...	I
Hedge Clipping, &c.	I	...	...	Traction-Wheel, &c., for steep incline	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Iron Bridges	I	...	...	Trousers, &c., Improvements in Turbine	...	...	*I	...	...	*I	...
Iron Fluming	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	Washing Clothes	...	*I	...	...	...	...	*I
Iron, Punching Holes in	Water Engine	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
Iron Sand, &c.	6	(1*) 2	I	I	(3*) 5	I	...	Weighing Contents of Ships, &c.	I	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kilns	Wheels and Axles, &c., Articulating	...	...	...	...	...	I	...
Knots, Tying	I	...	...	...	...	Wheels for Steam Carriages, &c.	4	...	...	...	...	...	...
Launching, &c., Suri Boats	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	Windmills	I	...	...	...	2	...	...
Lifting Machines	...	I	I	...	...	...	...	Wire - rope Tramways and Bridges	4	*I	...	...	...	I	I
Locomotive Engines	2	...	...	Wire-strainer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Magnetic Substances, Separating	I	...	...	Total actual number applied for (368 in 18 years)	140	33	32	14	39	22	38
Metal Bands, Fastening	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Millstones	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral Oils, Extracting	...	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mangling, Washing, Kneading, &c.	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mining, Gold, &c.	...	(4*) 37	4	(1*) 5	...	...	(1*) 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mining under Water	...	3	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Motive Engines	(1*) 2	I	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Have not been granted.

NOTE.—If the numbers given in the above columns be added up they will not agree with the actual number of Patents, &c., applied for, as some of the inventions are enumerated under more than one heading, in consequence of their being applicable to more than one purpose. In cases where applications are lodged more than once, in consequence of some irregularity, only one of such applications is included in the foregoing return.

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STATISTICS OF NEW ZEALAND, 1878.

LAW, CRIME, AND EDUCATION.

LAW AND CRIME.

APPREHENSIONS AND SUMMONSES.

TABLE showing the Number of Persons, other than Maoris, brought before the Resident Magistrates' and Magistrates' Courts, by Arrest, Warrant, or Summons (not including Civil Cases), during the Year 1878, and how their Cases were disposed of.

		Dismissed on the Merits, or Discharged for Want of Prosecution or Want of Evidence.	Summary Convicted.	Committed for Trial.
Offences against the Person	80
Offences against Property	866	288
Other Cases...	629	29
		...	3,869	
Totals	5,364	397

PUNISHMENTS ON SUMMARY CONVICTIONS.

TABLE showing the Kinds of Punishments inflicted consequent on the various Summary Convictions.

Punishments,	Total Number of Offences.	Offences against the Person.	Offences against Property.	Other Offences.
Fine	10,450	530	~	0,824
Imprisonment in lieu of Fine	...	118	96	1,985
Peremptory Imprisonment	...	145	54	1,002
Whipping	...	5	618	4
Bound over with or without Sureties	...	125	14	75
Otherwise disposed of...	...	18	5	1,481
	...	1,519	20	
Totals	...	16,119	941	807
	~	14,371

TABLE showing the Offences for which there were Indictments against Persons, other than Maoris, in the Supreme and District Courts, during the Year 1878, and how the Cases for such Indictments ended.

	How Cases in Supreme and District Courts ended.	Total.	Offences against the Person.						Miscellaneous Offences.*				
			Murder (including Child Murder).	Manslaughter.	Attempt at Murder.	Concealment of Birth.	Abortion.	Rape, and Carnal Knowledge of Girls under 10 years of age.*	Indecent Assaults on Females, including Carnal Knowledge of Girls to 12.	Unnatural Crimes, including Indecent Assaults on Males.*	Other Offences against the Person.*	Robbery with Violence, with Intent to Commit.	Other Offences against Property.*
Convictions	286	2	3	5	...	7	7	...	28	3	26
Acquittals	129	5	2	1	...	1	4	6	1	76	21
Prisoner found Insane
Fell through for want of prosecution (including cases where true bill was not found)	55	1	...	2	...	1	3	3	1	...	31
													13

* Including attempts and conspiracies to commit the several offences.

APPREHENSIONS, CONVICTIONS, ACQUITTALS.—COMPARISON FOR FIVE YEARS.
Comparative TABLE showing the Number of Apprehensions, Convictions, and Acquittals, during the Years 1874 to 1878 inclusive, with the Proportion to every 1,000 of the Mean Population (excluding Maoris).

	1874.	Proportion to every 1,000 of the Mean Population.	1875.	Proportion to every 1,000 of the Mean Population.	1876.	Proportion to every 1,000 of the Mean Population.	1877.	Proportion to every 1,000 of the Mean Population.	1878.	Proportion to every 1,000 of the Mean Population.	Proportion of the Mean Population.	
Number of Persons brought before Magistrates:—												
1. For Offences against the Person...	...	1,672	...	1,909	...	1,937	...	1,896	...	4,57	...	1,887
2. For Offences against Property...	...	1,511	...	1,724	...	1,841	...	1,993	...	480	...	1,724
3. On other grounds...	16,502	5146	19,692	5487	18,098	4671	17,773	4343	18,209	4314	18,209	
Number of Persons Summarily Convicted:—												
1. For Offences against the Person...	...	845	263	995	277	984	254	1,009	239	941	232	941
2. For Offences against Property...	...	727	227	813	227	933	241	964	232	867	193	867
3. For other Offences...	12,370	3857	15,545	4332	13,985	3699	14,139	3499	14,371	3393	3393	3393
Number of Persons Convicted in the Superior Courts:—												
1. For Offences against the Person...	...	42	13	54	15	67	17	47	11	52	12	52
2. For Offences against Property...	...	141	44	193	54	170	44	114	27	209	49	209
3. For other Offences...	...	11	3	10	3	7	02	78	18	25	05	25
Number of Persons Discharged or Acquitted:—												
1. In Magistrates' Courts...	...	5,407	...	5,562	...	5,505	...	5,165	...	5,364	...	5,364
2. In Superior Courts...	...	124	...	145	...	186	...	174	...	184	...	184

TABLE showing the Civil Cases brought before the Supreme Court of New Zealand during the Year 1878.

TABLE showing the Number of Criminal Cases, Convictions, Acquittals, &c., before the Supreme Court of New Zealand during the Year 1878.
SUPREME COURT.—CRIMINAL CASES.

Courts.	Offences against the Person.												Offences against Property.												Miscellaneous Offences.											
	Number of Cases.						Prisoner found Insane.						Convictions and Sentences.						Number of Cases.						Prisoner found Insane.						Convictions and Sentences.					
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.					
Auckland	11	2	2	2	1	37	7	8	1	...	3	...	26	6	32	1	2	1	15	...	15	15	...	90	55		
New Plymouth	1	...	6	...	1	...	1	...	3	1	1	1	...	9	...	7	5	3		
Napier	13	6	5	...	12	3	9	1	...	6	...	16	3	1	1	25	20			
Wellington	2	...	1	...	1	...	31	3	5	1	...	1	...	4	...	2	48	48		
Wanganui	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	9	1	5	1	...	1	...	1	...	3	...	1	...	2	...	2	14	7				
Blenheim	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	4	...	4			
Nelson	2	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	7	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	4	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	6			
Hokitika	10	...	7	...	3	...	3	...	17	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	15	...	5	...	3	...	2	...	2	...	37	...	32					
Christchurch	18	2	5	2	...	1	...	12	7	14	7	...	2	...	2	...	52	4	11	1	1	...	4	...	4	...	1	...	131	87				
Dunedin	8	5	3	4	...	3	1	2	...	25	3	10	...	1	...	1	15	2	16	1	3	1	...	3	...	10	...	58	29					
Invercargill	4	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	4	2	1	...	1	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	12	7		
Totals	76	9	27	6	...	10	2	39	1	193	24	54	4	...	13	3	126	17	122	6	21	3	...	26	2	75	1	430	259					

DISTRICT COURTS.—CIVIL CASES.
TABLE showing the Number of Civil Cases brought before the under-mentioned District Courts in New Zealand during the Year 1878.

Courts.	Total Cases Disposed of.	Cases Tried.		Undefended Cases.	Judgments for Plaintiffs.	Judgments for Defendants.	Judgments of Nonsuit.	Total Cases Tried.	Cases Lapsed or Discontinued.	Amounts Sued for.	Amounts for which Judgments Recorded.
		Before Juries.	Before Judge only.								
Auckland	...	2	44	28	18	41	3	46	31	£ 4,688 s. d.	£ 1,902 2 8
Grahamstown	...	17	6	6	1	3	2	7	10	1,354 11 1	237 0 10
Gisborne*	4	...	...	...	...	...
Hamilton	...	5	4	3	1	1	1	4	2	247 8 8	114 6 5
New Plymouth	...	11	6	3	6	7	1	9	2	1,385 10 10	479 12 10
Carlyle	...	3	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	546 18 0	146 18 0
Napier
Wanganui	...	6	3	2	1	1	1	3	3	861 15 10	263 0 0
Greytown
Masterton	...	4	2	4	4	...	4	4	...	488 9 5	376 7 3
Nelson	...	12	3	4	1	5	2	...	7	1,259 0 8	179 6 2
Redton	...	14	4	7	7	1	3	3	11	2,402 1 2	541 19 3
Westport	...	10	...	7	3	1	3	7	3	2,932 0 0	356 16 11
Greymouth	...	28	3	19	19	3	2	22	6	2,359 8 2	1,146 2 0
Hokitika	...	14	1	8	4	6	3	12	2	2,415 10 11 1	782 18 10
Christchurch*
Ashburton*	8	1,621 9 2	1,149 4 11
Timaru	...	31	1	18	5	15	2	23	5	1,110 14 9	169 17 5
Waimate	...	14	9	8	1	4	2	3	9	775 10 0	10 0 0
Oamaru	...	7	1	3	4	...	1	4	7	5,973 0 11	1,497 19 4
Dunedin	...	44	8	29	33	4	26	4	2	321 10 6	248 12 6
Tokomairiro	...	2	...	2	...	1	1	1	1	13 16 0	13 0 0
Lawrence	...	1	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	260 0 0	49 15 0
Arrowtown	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1,312 11 8	288 9 11
Palmerston	...	10	4	5	9	5	2	9	1	...	...
Queenstown	...	10	1	7	8	4	...	8	1	1,189 12 9	134 7 3
Clyde
Cromwell	...	2	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	200 0 0	...
Naseby
Invercargill	...	20	4	18	14	12	3	18	2	2,611 17 3	739 6 3
Totals	...	38	209	199	48	171	32	44	247	35,391 9 3	10,826 14 9

* These Courts were newly appointed in 1878, for which no returns have been received.

DISTRICT COURTS.—CRIMINAL CASES.
TABLE showing the Number of Criminal Cases, Convictions, Acquittals, &c., tried before the District Courts of New Zealand during the Year 1878.

Courts.	Offences against the Person.												Miscellaneous Offences.												Total Convic- tions.	
	Offences against Property.				Convictions and Sentences.				Number of Cases Tried.				Convictions and Sentences.				Number of Cases Tried.				Convic- tions and Sentences.					
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
New Plymouth	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	5	3
Carlyle	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Wanganui	1	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	3	2
Nelson	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	2	1
Reefton	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	3	...
Greymouth	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...
Hokitika	...	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	2	2	...	1	2	...	1	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	7	5
Timaru	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	10	8
Oamaru	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	6	5
Tokomairiro	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	2
Lawrence	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	1
Palmerston	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	
Clyde	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
Naseby	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Invercargill	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1
Totals	...	14	4	4	1	1	1	1	10	3	22	1	4	1	18	18	18	18	18	18	2	2	2	2	33	

BANKRUPTCIES.
TABLE showing the Number of Declarations of Insolvency filed in the Supreme Court of New Zealand, under "The Debtors and Creditors Act, 1876," during the Year 1878.

Courts.	Declarations of Insolvency filed.	Petitions by Creditors.	Adjudications on Petitions by Creditors.	Number of				Assets, as shown by Lists and Statements filed.	Liabilities, as shown by Lists and Statements filed.	Deficiency (-) or Surplus (+) of Assets.
				Cases in which Creditors passed Liquidation Resolutions.	Cases in which Creditors' Trustees were elected.	Cases in which Registrar appointed Certified Accountants' Trustees.	Deeds of Arrangement filed.			
Auckland	59	4	3	...	49	9	2	18
Napier	25	2	1	12	9	15	4	11
Wellington and Wanganui	...	124	9	4	...	66	62	18	46	1
Blenheim	...	20	1	...	...	2	12	1	...	1,231
Nelson	...	3	...	...	...	2	1	...	2	1,087
Christchurch	...	244	2	2	27	84	156	7	48	...
Dunedin	...	173	8	6	...	68	97	13	75	3
Invercargill	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Totals	...	649	26	16	39	280	352	45	200	9
										721,914 11 5
										- 476,145 3 7

Cases in which Orders of Immediate Discharge granted by Court.

Cases in which Orders of Discharge were suspended by Court.

£ s. d.

£ s. d.

13,523 19 0

38,113 19 8

30,836 12 0

35,201 16 1

92,354 14 0

112,704 3 5

1,231 16 6

3,907 11 9

2,087 0 3

1,900 1 4

72,252 4 9

98,549 7 6

33,473 1 4

431,488 18 4

10 0 0

48 13 4

...

...

BANKRUPTCIES.
TABLE showing the Number of Declarations of Insolvency filed in the under-mentioned District Courts in the Colony of New Zealand, under "The Debtors and Creditors Act, 1876," during the Year 1878.

Courts,	Declarations of Insolvency filed,	Petitions by Creditors,	Adjudications on Petitions by Creditors,	Cases in which Creditors passed Liquidation Resolutions,	Cases in which Creditors' Trustees were elected,	Cases in which Registrar appointed Certified Accountants or Trustees,	Deeds of Arrangement filed,	Orders of Immediate Discharge granted by Court,	Cases in which Orders of Discharge were suspended by Court,	Number of			Assets, as shown by Lists and Statements filed,	Liabilities, as shown by Lists and Statements filed,	Deficiency (-) or Surplus (+) of Assets,		
										£	s.	d.					
Auckland	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,076	16	7	3,401	17	2
Gisborne*	...	6	...	6	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	325	0	7
Hamilton	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,114	17	7	2,585	3	0
New Plymouth	...	6	...	4	2	2	2	2	2	2,169	6	0	3,933	15	9		
Carlyle	3	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	719	9	0	957	4	9	
Napier*	...	42	2	...	11	19	6	22	...	18,394	14	9	22,036	2	9		
Wanganui	4,541	8	0		
Greytown*		
Masterton*	...	12	...	4	8	7	4	7	7	31,965	13	8	25,920	4	43		
Reefton	9	...	4	5	...	3	3	7	172	12	6	1,281	10	52		
Greymouth	...	38	1	10	28	1	10	12	10	11,740	16	2	14,835	14	3		
Westport	...	9	...	5	4	5	3	3	1	1,967	9	0	3,886	12	9		
Hokianga	45	1	27	7	12	8	8	8	29,143	15	52	41,629	6	11		
Christchurch*		
Ashburton*	...	38	3	25	13	2	17	21	21	19,894	16	3	28,478	19	4		
Timaru	10	...	4	6	1	3	1	1	1,701	12	8	3,545	3	4		
Waimate	31	...	6	25	...	14	2	2	4,706	18	5	9,741	5	4		
Oamaru	12	...	4	6	6	7	...	1	1,955	2	6	2,056	10	8		
Dunedin	6	...	4	4	2	3	1	1	3,678	0	0	4,558	16	9		
Tokomairiro	...	8	...	5	3	2	7	1	1	2,489	10	4	1,769	0	2		
Lawrence	4	...	3	1	...	...	...	1	4,937	13	52	3,619	16	102	
Arrowtown*	...	6	...	3	3	...	...	1	1	2,976	8	5	3,264	18	2
Palmerston	...	4	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	717	0	0	811	0	0
Queenstown	...	2	...	3	2	...	...	3	3	7,308	9	2	4,634	17	2
Clyde	8	...	3	2	...	...	2	2	26	0	0	548	2	1	
Cromwell	4	...	4	3	...	...	3	3	10,312	5	11	16,419	7	11	
Naseby	44	2	2	...	13	35	2	32	1	...	...	...	...	...
Invercargill	...	360	9	15	65	156	180	36	173	62	161,169	7	10	200,362	9	22	
Totals	39,193	1	42

* These Courts were newly appointed in 1878, for which no returns have been received.

RESIDENT MAGISTRATES' AND MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

TABLE showing the Number of Persons brought before the several Resident Magistrates' and Magistrates' Courts in New Zealand during the Year 1878, and Summarily Dealt with, Committed for Trial, or Discharged; also the Number of Civil Cases heard, the Amounts Sued for, and the Amounts Awarded.

TABLE showing the Number of Persons brought before the several Resident Magistrates' and Magistrates' Courts in New Zealand during the Year 1878, and Summarily Dealt with, Committed for Trial, or Discharged; also the Number of Civil Cases heard, the Amounts Sued for, and the Amounts Awarded—*confirmed*.

Classification of Summary Convictions, with the Punishments awarded.												
Summary Convictions.												
Courts,	Taken into Custody, Summoned, or Apprehended	Dismissed by the Magistrate for Want of Prosecution or Want of Evidence.	Commit- ted for Trial.	Summarily Convicted.	Punishments.				Orders Made.			
					Offences against the Person.	Offences against Property.	Drunken- ness.	Other Offences.	Fine.	M.	M. F.	s. d.
M. & F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	M.	F.	M.	M.	M.	M. F.	M. F.
Provincial District of Nelson— <i>continued.</i>												
No Town	19	19	14	14	3	2	11	3	14	...	119	15 11
Reeton	134	127	7	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	327	7 1
Westport	101	129	28	5	3	1	15	5	43	2,104	2,104	4 4
Provincial District of West- land :—												
Arnold (no return)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dunanganville	7	7	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Greenstone	25	25	3	3	38	8	10	10	144	10	92	3
Greymouth	217	33	217	217	22	16	3	8	62	10	72	11
Goldsborough	23	32	20	20	15	2	2	2	103	18	112	21
Hokitika	164	32	196	196	19	4	30	8	14	5	14	2
Jackson's Bay	7	7	3	3	3	3	12	2	103	18	83	6
Kumara	114	58	114	114	15	12	3	3	1...	1	15	1
Okarito	6	6	5	5	...	...	...	...	1...	1	5	5
Ross	25	20	5	2	2	2	3	3	1...	1	144	2
Stafford	9	9	...	...	...	...	5	5	1...	1	36	3
Provincial District of Can- terbury :—												
Akaroa	180	11	6	5	35	7	5	5	134	2	114	2
Ambertley and Leithfield	52	48	4	5	8	...	...	4	35	4	26	4
Amuri	7	7	...	...	3	...	...	4	...	...	2	1
Ashburton	522	508	14	14	38	1	16	16	467	13	279	7
Christchurch	2,395	2,395	125	125	25	461	25	48	6,167	14	115	1
Geraldine	63	62	1	1	13	...	...	3	712	121	788	7
Kaiapoi	238	234	4	1	67	4	2	2	104	1	57	6
Leeston	61	61	...	...	4	...	...	1	54	1	33	1
Little River	52	52	1	1	12	...	...	1	39	1	49	1
Lytton	548	528	20	76	4	98	1	3	351	15	16	2
Malvern	39	37	2	2	14	2	1	3	108	4	123	5
Oxford	97	97	10	10	19	1	1	1	67	1	50	1
Pigeon Bay	2	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	64	1
Rangiora	155	152	3	2	26	2	12	1	114	1	78	1
Southbridge	17	17	2	2	1	1	1	1	114	1	1	1
Temuka	144	144	5	11	12	1	1	1	114	1	1	1
Timaru	622	574	135	135	6	45	1	23	371	25	29	2
Waimate	409	396	13	13	138	4	24	12	122	8	4	1

CRIMINAL AND CIVIL CASES IN WHICH MAORIS WERE CONCERNED.

I.—SUMMARY showing the Offences with which Persons of the Native Race were charged, and the Convictions thereunder.

Offences.	Number of Cases.	Summary Convictions by Magistrates.	Acquitted, Discharged, or Dismissed.	Committed for Trial.
Against the Person :—				
Murder	2	...	...	*2
attempt at	1	...	...	1
Wounding with intent to do bodily harm ...	1	...	1	...
Assault	41	24	17	...
Assaulting police	13	13	...	...
Rape	1	...	1	...
attempt at	1	...	1	...
Concealment of birth ...	1	...	1	...
Breach of sureties of the peace ...	1	...	1	...
Against Property :—				
Burglary	1	...	1	...
Breaking into with intent to steal ...	1	...	1	...
Cattle-stealing ...	6	...	3	3
Larceny	68	35	25	8
Unlawfully on premises ...	1	...	1	...
Illegal detention of property ...	1	1	...	...
Receiving stolen goods ...	1	...	1	...
Obtaining goods by false pretences ...	1	...	1	...
Arson	2	...	1	1
Wilful damage	18	12	6	...
Forgery	1	...	...	1
Miscellaneous :—				
Breach of Municipal Corporations Act ...	4	4	...	...
Local Ordinances ...	4	4	...	...
Police Acts ...	7	3	4	...
Dog Nuisance Act ...	3	...	3	...
Impounding Act ...	2	...	2	...
the peace ...	15	13	2	...
Railway Act ...	2	2	...	...
Passenger, Harbour, and Navigation Statute ...	1	...	1	...
Public Works Act ...	1	...	1	...
Gaols Statute ...	1	1	...	...
Wine, Beer, and Spirit Statute ...	4	1	3	...
License Ordinance ...	3	3	...	...
Cruelty to animals ...	1	1	...	...
Indecent exposure ...	3	2	1	...
Threatening, &c., language ...	3	3	...	...
Vagrancy	6	5	1	...
Drunkenness	128	122	6	...
Lunacy	2	2	...	...
Perjury	4	...	2	2
Totals	357	251	88	18

* In both cases the trials were for manslaughter, and the prisoners acquitted.

II.—SUMMARY showing the Civil Cases in which Maoris were concerned.

—	Number of Cases.	Amounts Sued for.	Amounts for which Judgments were given.
In which Europeans were plaintiffs and Maoris were defendants	609	£ 6,32 7 1	3,980 19 7
In which Maoris were plaintiffs and Europeans were defendants	82	1,170 16 1	344 19 0
In which Maoris only were concerned	143	1,380 6 10½	442 8 3
Totals	834	9,183 10 0½	4,768 6 10

APPREHENSIONS, COMMITMENTS, ETC.

TABLE showing the Number of Males and Females Summoned or taken into Custody during the Year 1878, and the Offences with which they were Charged; also the Numbers Discharged by the Magistrates, the Numbers Summarily Convicted, held to Bail, &c., and the Numbers Committed for Trial.

	Total Number Summoned, or taken into Custody.			Discharged by Magistrates, or Dismissed on the Merits.		Summarily Convicted, held to Bail, &c.		Committed for Trial.	
	Persons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Offences against the Person :—									
Murder	6	4	2	...	...	...
Attempt at murder	7	6	1	2	...	...
Manslaughter	3	2	1	2	1	...
Attempt at abortion	1	1	...	1	...	...
Shooting at, and stabbing	13	11	2	6	2	...
Wounding with intent to do bodily harm	51	47	4	17	...	4
Assault	1,451	1,325	126	616	82	793
Assaulting, resisting, or obstructing police	205	200	5	32	1	168
Rape	14	14	...	5	...	9
Assault with intent to commit	8	8	...	4	...	4
Indecent assault	21	21	...	12	...	1
Affiliation	2	2	...	1	...	...
Concealment of birth	2	...	2	...	2	...
Bestiality	1	1	...	...	...	1
Sodomy	6	6	...	3	...	3
Attempt at suicide	21	16	5	11	2	1
Breach of sureties	137	92	45	59	27	33
Offences against Person and Property :—									
Robbery with violence	9	7	2	3	2	...
Burglary	13	13	...	3	...	2
Breaking into a dwelling and stealing	13	13	...	2	...	5
" " " with intent to steal	3	3	...	2	...	1
Offences against Property :—									
Unlawfully on premises	16	14	2	8	1	6
Cattle-stealing	22	22	...	9	...	...
Horse-stealing	4	4	...	3	...	1
Sheep-stealing	4	4	...	...	...	4
Stealing other animals	2	2	...	...	2	...
Killing animals with intent to steal	1	1	...	...	...	1
Illegally branding cattle	1	1	...	1	...	...
Feloniously wounding cattle	10	10	...	4	...	2
Illegal detention of property	7	7	...	3	...	4
Larceny undescribed	1,114	979	135	356	40	525
" in a dwelling	30	26	4	5	1	14
" from the person	15	12	3	2	2	...
" post letter	2	2	...	...	...	2
" as a bailee	15	15	...	6	...	3
Receiving stolen goods	5	5	...	4	...	1
Embezzlement	34	34	...	15	...	6
Conspiring to defraud	10	8	2	6	...	2
Obtaining goods, &c., by false pretences	89	87	2	37	1	27
Arson	12	10	2	4	...	1
Wilful damage to property	335	296	39	126	17	160
Forgery	69	67	2	6	...	...
Offences against Good Order :—									
Breach of Municipal Corporations Act	3,536	3,466	70	588	13	2,878
" local Ordinances	177	174	3	32	...	142
" Police Acts	961	912	49	233	22	679
" Entire Animals Act	2	2	...	...	2	...
" Cattle Trespass and Impounding Acts	604	597	7	109	4	488
" Dog Nuisance Act	254	247	7	75	3	172
" Protection of Animals Act	82	82	...	28	...	54
" Bush Fires Ordinance	1	1	...	...	1	...
" Peace (disorderly conduct, &c.)	200	189	11	51	4	138
" Public House Ordinance	110	95	15	33	5	62
Drunkenness (includes drunk and disorderly)	7,105	6,201	844	908	130	5,353
Obscene, threatening, abusive, or insulting language	285	256	29	69	15	187
Indecent exposure	39	39	...	13	...	26
Cruelty to animals	45	44	1	14	1	30
Sunday observance	2	2	...	2	...	...
Vagrancy	1,515	1,112	403	320	86	792
Lunacy	515	425	90	187	13	237
Libel	7	7	...	3	...	4
Offences relating to carrying out Laws :—									
Contempt of Court	44	40	4	13	3	27
Absconding from bail	2	2	...	...	2	...
Perjury	24	17	7	9	3	...
Breach of Insolvency Act (fraudulent insolvency, &c.)	19	19	...	5	...	3
							...	3	...
							...	11	...

APPREHENSIONS, COMMITMENTS, ETC.

TABLE showing the Number of Males and Females Summoned or taken into Custody during the Year 1878, and the Offences with which they were Charged; also the Numbers Discharged by the Magistrates, the Numbers Summarily Convicted, held to Bail, &c., and the Numbers Committed for Trial—*continued.*

	Total Number Summoned, or taken into Custody.			Discharged by Magistrates, or Dismissed on the Merits.		Summarily Convicted, held to Bail, &c.		Committed for Trial.	
	Persons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Offences relating to carrying out Laws—<i>continued.</i>									
Breach of Gaols Act	15	13	2	4	...	9	2	...
" Customs Act	9	8	1	3	...	5	1	...
" Stamp Act	12	11	1	6	...	5	1	...
" Tollgate Act	3	3	...	2	...	1	...	...
" License Ordinance	531	457	74	122	18	335	56	...
" Distillation Act	18	18	...	12	...	6	...	...
" Wine, Beer, and Spirit Statute	17	13	4	4	3	9	1	...
Offences against Public Welfare:									
Breach of Arms Act	3	3	...	3	...	...	...	...
" Auctioneers Act	2	2	...	...	...	2	...	...
" Bakers and Millers Act	4	4	...	1	...	3	...	...
" Building Societies Act	5	5	...	3	...	2	...	...
" Census Act	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
" Constabulary Force Ordinance	73	72	1	29	...	43	1	...
" Contagious Diseases	45	...	45	...	15	...	30	...
" Crown Lands Statutes	2	2	...	1	...	1	...	...
" Dangerous Goods Act	49	49	...	47	...	2	...	...
" Domains Act	4	4	...	...	...	4	...	...
" Employment of Females Act	4	4	...	2	...	2	...	...
" Fisheries and Game Statute	13	13	...	4	...	9	...	...
" Foreign Seamen's Act	34	34	...	5	...	29	...	...
" Gold Fields Act	14	14	...	1	...	13	...	...
" Justices of the Peace Act	15	15	...	6	...	9	...	...
" Law Practitioners Act	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	...
" Marine Act	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
" Masters and Apprentices Act	7	7	...	6	...	1	...	...
" Masters and Servants Act	9	8	1	4	...	4	1	...
" Pawnbrokers Act	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
" Passenger, Harbour, and Navigation Statutes	46	43	3	9	1	34	2	...
" Public Health Act	49	49	...	24	...	25	...	...
" Public Works Act	273	273	...	70	...	202	...	1
" Railways Act	164	163	1	38	...	125	1	...
" Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages Acts	75	73	2	2	...	68	2	3
" Sale of Poisons Act	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
" Seamen's (Merchant) Shipping Act	458	458	...	145	...	313	...	...
" Sheep Act (Scab, &c.)	69	68	1	21	...	47	1	...
" Stage Carriage and Tramways Ordinance	8	8	...	7	...	1	...	...
" Statutes relating to Elections	7	7	...	7	...	...	...	...
" Telegraph Act	2	2	...	1	...	1	...	...
" Volunteer Act	10	10	...	5	...	5	...	...
" Waste Lands Act	15	15	...	10	...	5	...	...
" Weights and Measures Act	98	92	6	4	...	88	6	...
" Wreck Enquiry Act	2	2	...	...	...	2	...	...
Proceedings under,—									
Destitute Persons Relief Ordinance	252	249	3	145	2	104	1	...
Marriage and Matrimonial Causes Statute, desertion of family, &c.	20	19	1	7	1	12	...	...
Married Women's Property Act	182	165	17	49	1	116	16	...
Neglected and Criminal Children's Act	253	167	86	23	10	144	76	...
Naval Training School and Education Acts	47	45	2	12	1	33	1	...
Totals		22,237	20,060	2,177	4,917	535	14,763	1,607	380
									35

NOTE.—In this and the foregoing tables relating to criminal offences a person charged with different offences is treated as a distinct individual for each offence.

For return of offences investigated by Magistrates see Table of Resident Magistrates and Magistrates' Courts, page 218.

COMMITMENTS.

TABLE showing the Number of Males and Females Committed for Trial during 1878, also the Numbers Tried during 1878, distinguishing those Convicted from those Acquitted, and the Numbers not Prosecuted.

Offences.	Total Committed for Trial.			Tried and Acquitted.		Tried and Convicted.		Not Prosecuted.*	
	Persons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Murder and attempt at murder	11	8	3	6	3	5	...	...	1
Shooting at and wounding with intent to do bodily harm	34	30	4	9	...	19	3	1	1
Assaults	8	6	2	...	...	5	1	...	...
Rape and indecent assaults on females	21	21	...	5	...	14	...	3	...
Unnatural offences and assaults with intent to commit...	4	4	...	6	...	...	...	3	...
Attempt to commit suicide	5	3	2	...	1	5	...	1	...
Abandoning child ... ... ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
Robbery with violence, burglary, &c.	19	19	...	6	...	10	...	...	...
Horse, sheep, and cattle stealing, &c.	19	19	...	4	...	18	...	3	...
Feloniously wounding cattle ...	...	4	4	...	2	...	3	...	1
Larceny	137	123	14	38	4	77	15	5	3
Arson	7	5	2	2	1	6	1	3	...
Forgery	63	61	2	4	...	47	1	4	...
Other offences against property	52	49	3	15	1	36	1	12	1
Lunacy	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Libel	4	4	...	3	...	1	...	2	...
Perjury	11	8	3	8	4	1	...	1	1
Fraudulent insolvency	11	11	...	5	...	9	...	9	...
Offences against the public welfare ...	4	4	...	2	...	14	...	1	...
Totals	415	380	35	115	17	270	22	49	7

* In several of these cases the same persons were tried upon other charges.

NOTE.—In regard to the offences entered in this table, discrepancies appear between the number of committals and the numbers tried or not prosecuted. This is partly accounted for by the returns of committals by Coroners, or by some Magistrates in Petty Sessions, not having been made, and by the fact that persons are sometimes committed on one charge, and the conviction takes place on a count in the indictment which brings the offence under another heading. Besides which, in some cases the prisoners tried were committed before the commencement of the year, and in other cases prisoners have been committed towards the end of the year, but who had not been tried until after the expiration thereof.

AGE AND SENTENCE OF CRIMINALS.
SUPREME AND DISTRICT COURTS.—Table showing the Age and Sentence of both Sexes Tried and Convicted during the Year 1878.

Age.	Imprisonment with and without Hard Labour, and Labour on the Roads or Public Works.												Totals.																						
	Death, 15 Years and upwards, or for Life.		10 Years and under 15 Years.		7 Years and under 10 Years.		5 Years and under 7 Years.		3 Years and under 5 Years.		1 Year and under 2 Years.		6 Months and under 1 Year.		3 Months and under 6 Months.		1 Month and under 3 Months.		Fined.		Imprison- ment with Whipping.		Awaiting Pleasure of Court.		Held to Bail.										
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.									
Under 10 years								
10 to 15 "								
15 to 20 "								
20 to 25 "								
25 to 30 "								
30 to 40 "	...	*2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
40 to 50 "								
50 to 60 "								
60 and upwards								
Totals	2	6	...	4	...	7	...	20	3	28	1	59	4	58	11	10	...	7	2	5	1	4	...	2	...	1	...	239	217	22

* There were no executions during 1878. Two men were sentenced to death for murder. In one case the sentence was commuted to imprisonment for life; in the other, the sentence of death was carried out in 1879.

NOTE.—The numbers only of distinct individuals tried and convicted during 1878 in the superior Courts are shown in this table of ages, and which are 53 less than the total number of charges on which committals were made during the year, as shown in the other tables relating to criminal offences.

GAOLS AND PRISONERS.

TABLE showing the Gaols in the Colony of New Zealand, and the Number of Prisoners confined therein, for the Year ending 31st December, 1878.

Name of Gaol.	Number of Prisoners in Confinement at Commencement of the Year.												Number of Prisoners Received during the Year.												Totals.															
	For Felony.						For Misdemeanour.						Tried and Sentenced to						On Trial.			In Transitus.																		
	Debtors.			Lunatics.			Total.			Debtors.			Lunatics.			Death.			Hard Labour.			Imprisonment.			With Sentence suspended.															
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.													
Russell	2	6	8	30	18	48	32	3	35	11	4	48	32	2	36	24	19	2	18	5	2	3	7	1	49	1	680	255												
Auckland	101	180	281	20	20	7	7	9	1	1	1	32	1	2	103	18	18	1	1	3	1	24	4	1	122	8	122	28												
Shortland	7	7	9	2	1	1	32	2	2	12	2	...	6												
Newcastle	7	7	9	2	2	1	1	1	32	2	2	12	2	...	6												
Tauranga	...	2	7	9	2	11	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Opotiki	...	2	2	4	4	8	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Gisborne	...	4	4	10	12	22	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
New Plymouth	2	10	12	12	12	36	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Napier	8	39	47	1	1	22	1	1	11	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Wellington	38	51	89	1	1	47	2	8	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Wanganui	2	31	33	1	1	8	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Picton	...	30	30	1	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Nelson	20	4	24	1	1	9	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Westport	...	20	20	1	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Becton	3	...	3	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Charleston	...	2	2	3	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Dyell	...	2	2	2	2	6	1	1	4	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Ilokitika (Lower)	2	80	82	3	3	8	2	2	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Ahaura	...	8	8	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Kumara	...	2	2	3	1	6	1	1	4	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Greytown	...	16	16	1	1	6	1	1	4	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Lytton	...	46	136	3	3	74	8	7	5	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Addington	11	53	64	15	2	17	1	1	2	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Timaru	4	21	25	4	1	17	1	1	2	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Dunedin	15	171	186	11	11	54	4	5	1	22	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Oamaru	...	11	11	11	11	11	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Clyde	...	6	6	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Queenstown	1	4	5	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Naseby	...	6	6	6	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Lawrence	7	2	9	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Tokomairiro	...	16	24	1	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Invercargill	8	16	24	1	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	32	1	2	12	...	...	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						
Totals	...	316	859	1,175	11	...	9	...	300	9	33	2	103	3	13	4	126	92	595	110	178	1	189	26	2	...	2,562	764	358	70	5	...	299	39	332	32	54	18	3,974	950

* Sentence commuted to imprisonment for life.

GAOLS AND PRISONERS.

Table showing the Gaols in the Colony of New Zealand, and the Number of Prisoners confined therein, for the Year ending 31st December, 1878—continued.

Name of Gaol.	Number of Prisoners Discharged during the Year.												Number of Prisoners in Confinement at the end of the Year.																																
	Debtors.			Lunatics.			On Remission of Sentence or Pardon.			At Expiration of Sentence.			Transferred to another Gaol or Penal Establishment, or to the Police.			Transferred to another Gaol or Penal Establishment, or to the Police.			Died.			Total.			Debtors.			Lunatics.			Tried.			Untried.			For Misdemeanour.			For other Offences.			Total.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.									
Russell	1	...	2	...	33	...	10	1	...	...	48	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	28		
Auckland	...	11	1	2	2	2	69	33	24	4	...	...	668	262	...	...	...	...	42	4	...	...	...	...	34	22	127	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Shortland	2	...	...	...	...	106	18	3	...	13	8	...	...	126	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Newcastle	...	1	...	1	3	8	4	21	1								
Tauranga	12	12								
Opotiki	12								
Gisborne	...	6	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	54	1	4	...	14	...	...	82	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Plymouth	...	3	...	2	1	2	...	3	1	...	...	24	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	2	1	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Napier	...	7	...	2	1	8	...	39	1	2	...	151	4	...	...	...	...	2	...	224	6	...	...	22	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wellington	...	21	...	1	1	18	3	51	16	2	202	56	48	11	9	...	1	...	367	73	3	...	40	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wanganui	...	7	...	11	2	14	1	14	1	4	114	4	2	...	4	...	1	...	159	8	...	...	14	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Picton	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	22	3	1	...	...	...	...	27	4	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Nelson	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	14	1	1	...	36	15	4	...	3	1	...	59	17	1	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Westport	...	2	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	18	6	...	...	3	4	...	...	25	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Reefton	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	25	1	...	...	1	4	...	...	30	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Charleston	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lyell	12	3	4	...	...	...	32	18	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hokitika (Lower)	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	3	4	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahaura	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kumara	...	5	...	3	...	2	...	60	36	...	...	6	4	...	...	...	3	4	...	...	70	43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Greytown	...	4	2	6	2	8	...	29	4	1	...	153	6	28	1	3	2	...	2	...	53	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lytton	...	30	...	5	2	52	...	55	12	...	119	21	4	119	21	28	4	...	...	340	7	2	...	68	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Addington	...	11	1	2	16	...	21	16	...	386	149	16	5	55	...	...	...	...	...	491	172	2	...	10	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Timaru	...	7	...	6	2	13	...	7	9	2	140	17	4	1	21	1	...	1	...	208	23	...	...	15	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dunedin	...	30	...	2	1	34	3	12	2	285	40	3	...	119	21	7	1	...	1	...	405	23	3	...	33	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Oamaru	...	9	...	7	1	7	...	91	4	...	...	...	3	3	...	7	3	...	269	31	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clyde	...	2	...	3	4	1	...	1	3	...	...	7	3	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	27	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queenstown	...	1	...	1	2	9	13								
Nasby	...	1	...	3	...	2	9	4	1	15								
Lawrence	...	4	...	1	...	1	...	13	2	2	...	7	5	...	...	7	1	...	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tokomairiro	...	9	...	8	1	5	3	3	1	4	3	64	10	15	1	8	...	...	...	116	19	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Invercargill	...	9	...	75	18	125	8	333	60	190	17	2,670	803	221	29	207	29	...	9	...	4,007	965	10	...	284	14	36	2	133	12	20	3	72	64	562	95									

* One of these was under sentence of death.

GAOLS AND PRISONERS.

TABLE showing the Gaols in the Colony of New Zealand, and the Number of Prisoners confined therein, for the Year ending 31st December, 1878—continued.

Name of Gaol.	Number of Prisoners Convicted before.												Number of Prisoners Received during the Year.												
	Number of Prisoners Convicted before.						Number of Cases of Sickness.						Number of Admissions to Hospital during Year.												
	Once.	Twice.	Three or more times.	Total.	Able to Read and Write.	Able to Read only.	Unable to Read.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	
Russell	...	7	...	7	40	4	5	49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Auckland	...	63	10	20	5	78	...	161	226	544	156	37	14	99	85	...	...	3	28	12	28	...	12	166	
Shortland	...	15	2	14	4	25	10	54	16	83	14	8	3	29	11	2	...	2	...	10	5	...	...	9	
Newcastle	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
Tauranga	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	4	...	18	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
Opotiki	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	10	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Gisborne	...	10	...	8	...	2	...	20	...	80	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	83	1	2	...	...	1	...	6
New Plymouth	...	1	...	2	1	3	...	6	1	29	1	2	...	7	1	...	...	39	2	3	...	1	...	...	14
Napier	...	16	2	6	16	1	38	3	177	7	10	...	21	1	...	...	208	8	8	...	...	48	2	...	...
Wellington	...	42	...	23	6	35	49	100	55	314	45	12	8	29	19	6	...	361	72	1	...	2	...	...	82
Wanganui	...	18	3	9	...	11	1	38	4	116	3	12	1	35	3	12	...	175	7	4	...	71	2	1	...
Picton	...	3	...	2	...	2	...	5	...	22	1	1	4	2	2	...	...	29	3	1	...	8	1	...	30
Nelson	...	3	3	2	2	1	1	6	6	42	12	6	2	...	1	...	...	48	15	15	...	...	...	...	11
Westport	...	3	2	4	2	...	2	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	10	10	...	...	4	...	26
Reefton	2	...	2	...	4	...	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	1	1	...	...	...	...	5
Charleston	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Lyell	...	7	2	3	...	...	...	8	11	18	13	42	12	4	6	8	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hokitika	55	21	2	...	...	28	2	...
" (Lower)	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahaura	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Kumara	...	8	1	3	1	5	...	16	2	50	24	5	9	10	3	...	...	68	43	...	...	...	...	...	9
Greytown	...	41	1	7	...	31	1	79	2	209	5	14	1	24	1	2	...	52	13	...	...	...	...	...	8
Lytton	...	60	12	45	12	137	118	242	142	382	117	44	27	57	30	8	...	339	7	2	...	87	6	...	110
Addington	...	30	5	16	16	...	51	6	159	13	13	3	10	10	3	...	491	174	5	4	86	35	2	3	
Timaru	...	31	7	21	10	34	46	86	63	312	172	31	21	48	16	7	...	199	22	2	...	24	10	...	34
Dunedin	...	18	4	14	2	28	2	60	8	205	24	27	2	41	5	1	...	391	209	3	2	37	13	7	137
Oamaru	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	16	2	11	2	7	...	274	31	...	1	...	1	...	8	
Clyde	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	16	2	...	2	7	...	24	4	1	1	1	2	...	5	
Queenstown	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	1	...	...	1	...	2
Naseby	...	2	...	3	...	2	...	5	...	28	4	18	14	...	9	...	...	14	...	...	...	...	7	1	4
Lawrence	...	1	1	3	1	3	1	7	2	18	14	1	1	7	1	1	...	35	4	1	1	7	1	1	8
Tohokuaiiro	...	15	...	1	1	2	...	2	...	14	1	1	1	7	1	2	...	18	...	1	...	18	10	...	3
Invercargill	...	18	2	7	4	10	...	35	7	85	9	2	1	15	7	10	1	112	18	3	1	18	10	...	26
Totals ...	426	58	201	52	450	454	1,077	564	3,194	643	239	103	481	202	60	2	3,974	950	45	15	473	91	58	15	882

Greatest at any one time.
Total during the Year.
Number of Cases of Sickness.
Greatest number of admissions to hospital during the year.
Number of admissions to hospital during the year.
Greatest number of admissions to hospital during the year.

GAOLS AND PRISONERS.

TABLE showing the Gaols in the Colony of New Zealand, and the Number of Prisoners confined therein, for the Year ending 31st December, 1878—continued.

Name of Gaol.	Number of Prisoners Employed during the Year.												Punishments for Offences committed within the Prison during the Year.								
	Hard Labour in Prison.			Hard Labour without Prison.			Employments not Hard Labour.			Total.			Number of Prisoners not Employed.			Solitary Confinement.			Other Punishments.		
	M.	F.	M.	M.	F.	M.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
Russell	34	272	36	83	49	1	49	1	...	...	...	...	10	14	...	1	53
Auckland	103	18	...	...	...	13	753	285	18	42	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Shortland	3	...	...	...	...	...	103	25	1	25	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Newcastle	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tauranga	6	...	...	12	6	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Opotiki	40	1	16	16	...	...	...	56	1	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gisborne	2	...	20	...	1	...	23	...	2	25	...	...	3	...	1	4	...	4
New Plymouth	16	3	127	...	...	1	...	143	3	114	7	1	...	1	4	...	6	...
Napier	6	2	234	...	1	...	260	60	169	23	2	...	14	5	...	1	19	6
Wellington	2	1	98	...	...	...	105	2	84	6	...	...	2	...	1	...	3	...
Wanganui	2	1	20	...	...	...	22	1	10	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Picton	5	17	51	...	...	1	56	18	12	1	...	...	2	...	4	...	6	...
Nelson	14	9	6	...	...	...	20	9	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Westport	24	...	...	...	24	...	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rereton	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Charleston
Lyell	5	14	51	...	6	3	62	17	16	6	...	...	17	...	1	...	18	...
Hokianga (Lower)	3	...	1	...	4	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ahaura	68	43	...	...	68	43	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kumara	31	4	...	...	...	...	31	4	25	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Greymouth	59	6	236	...	...	...	295	6	148	1	3	...	...	37	...	...	...	...
Lytton	359	174	39	...	...	...	398	174	123	14	...	...	10	17	...	...	...	...
Addington	6	18	139	...	...	...	145	18	82	8	...	...	3	...	4	...	5	...
Timaru	9	224	327	...	...	...	154	16	490	4	...	...	1	...	25	5	...	...
Dunedin	9	61	...	8	1	19	2	8	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oamaru	1	11	...	...	...	9	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clyde	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queenstown	2	22	...	...	...	22	2	14	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Naseby	4	12	7	...	...	...	79	12	47	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Lawrence	1	...
Tokomairiro
Invercargill	2	...
Totals	...	739	847	2,294	43	303	35	3,336	925	1,234	134	12	...	148	37	183	19	343	56	...	

AGE, CLASS, BIRTHPLACES, AND RELIGION OF PRISONERS.

TABLE showing the Age, Class, Birthplaces, and Religion of Prisoners received in the various Gaols throughout the Colony during the Year 1878.

		Felony.	Misdemeanour.	Minor Offences.	Debt or Lunacy.	Totals.
Age of Prisoners:—						
Under ten years	...	...	...	6	3	17
Ten to fifteen years	...	...	...	23	7	31
Fifteen to twenty years	...	...	...	70	30	131
Twenty to twenty-five years	...	...	...	124	104	315
Twenty-five to thirty years	...	...	...	133	132	452
Thirty to forty years	...	...	...	192	256	990
Forty to fifty years...	...	...	...	134	176	677
Fifty to sixty years	...	...	...	51	79	252
Sixty and upwards	...	...	...	16	18	116
Totals	...	749	805	2,981	389	4,924
Class of Prisoners:—						
Settlers in the Colony	...	...	...	600	641	2,343
Aboriginal Natives	...	...	...	61	42	27
Sailors and Soldiers	...	...	...	65	104	562
Strangers or unknown	...	...	...	23	18	49
Totals	...	749	805	2,981	389	4,924
Birthplaces of Prisoners:—						
The Colony, viz.:—						
Of European descent, &c.	...	...	...	60	38	132
Maoris	...	...	...	61	42	27
Australian and other British Colonies and Possessions	...	...	...	54	61	126
England and Wales	...	...	...	268	243	1,012
Ireland	...	...	...	162	228	1,049
Scotland	...	...	...	72	108	413
Foreign Countries (exclusive of China)	...	...	...	68	75	218
China	...	...	...	4	10	4
Totals	...	749	805	2,981	389	4,924
Religion of Prisoners:—						
Church of England	...	...	...	359	334	1,176
Presbyterians	...	...	...	85	116	448
Wesleyans	...	...	...	28	22	65
Independents	...	...	...	2	2	6
Baptists	...	...	...	2	2	7
Other Protestants	...	...	...	44	54	98
Roman Catholics	...	...	...	209	258	1,118
Jews	...	...	...	3	2	7
Pagans	...	...	...	3	8	11
Other Persuasions	...	...	...	5	4	21
No Religion	...	...	...	7	3	12
Religion unknown...	...	...	...	2	...	12
Totals	...	749	805	2,981	389	4,924

INQUESTS.

TABLE showing the Number of Inquests, and the Verdicts returned, throughout the Colony of New Zealand, during the Year 1878.

Verdicts Returned.	No. of Inquests.		Verdicts Returned.	No. of Inquests.				
	On Males.	On Females.		On Males.	On Females.			
I.—ACCIDENTAL.								
Brain, concussion of ...	2	1	Struck by a drum in threshing machine ...	1	...			
Burnt ...	8	5	“ by a maul ...	1	...			
Chlorodine, overdose of ...	2	1	“ by a railway wagon ...	1	...			
Choked by a piece of meat, &c. ...	2	1	“ by a timber sledge ...	1	...			
Crushed by railway trucks ...	1	...	“ by a wedge of wood ...	2	...			
“ by logs ...	2	...	Suffocated ...	4	2			
Cut by a circular saw ...	1	...	“ in a bed ...	5	4			
Dragged by a horse ...	4	...	“ in a cess-pit ...	3	...			
Drowned ...	112	13	“ in a ditch ...	2	...			
Entanglement in saw-mill machinery ...	1	...	“ by his neck collar ...	1	...			
Explosion of gunpowder ...	4	...	“ in a raupo whare on fire ...	1	...			
“ of kerosene lamp ...	...	1	Sunstroke ...	1	...		
Fall ...	2	...	Total ...	280	39			
“ from a bank ...	1	...						
“ from a carriage, cart, &c. ...	13	1						
“ of a chimney	1	II.—DISEASES AND NATURAL CAUSES.					
“ over a cliff in a wagon ...	1	...	Abscess in lung ...	2	...			
“ into a drain whilst in a fit ...	1	...	“ in throat ...	1	1			
“ of earth, stone, &c. ...	28	...	Aneurism of aorta ...	3	...			
“ over embankment ...	2	...	Apoplexy ...	5	2			
“ from a hay-loft ...	1	...	“ congestive ...	...	1		
“ from a horse ...	12	1	“ and paralysis ...	2	...			
“ of a horse upon him ...	2	...	“ pulmonary ...	1	...			
“ from a machine ...	1	...	“ sanguineous ...	1	...			
“ down a river bank ...	2	...	“ serous ...	5	...			
“ of sacks of corn ...	1	...	Atrophy ...	...	1		
“ of a scaffold ...	1	...	Brain disease ...	6	...			
“ down a shaft ...	2	...	“ and paralysis ...	1	...			
“ of a shed ...	1	...	“ congestion of ...	1	1			
“ of timber ...	2	...	“ effusion of blood on ...	3	2			
“ of timber and earth ...	2	...	“ inflammation ...	1	...			
“ of a tree ...	9	...	“ softening of ...	4	1			
“ from vestibule in a theatre ...	1	...	“ syphilitic disease of ...	...	1		
“ down a well ...	1	...	Bronchitis ...	1	...			
Falling in of a reef ...	2	...	Cancer of liver ...	1	...			
“ in of a tunnel ...	1	...	Catarrh ...	1	...			
Fracture of spine ...	2	...	Childbirth ...	5	4			
Kicked by horses ...	3	...	Consumption of lungs ...	2	3			
Poisoned ...	3	...	Convulsions ...	2	5			
“ by lucifer matches ...	1	...	Cutaneous sloughing ...	1	...			
Run over by cart, dray, &c. ...	11	1	Cyanosis ...	1	...			
“ by railway train ...	2	1	Debility ...	1	...			
“ by roller ...	1	...	Diarrhoea ...	4	1			
Rupture of blood vessel in lung ...	2	...	Dropsy ...	1	...			
“ in the bowels ...	1	...	“ of heart ...	...	1		
“ of liver ...	3	...	Embolism of aorta ...	1	...			
“ of ventricle of heart ...	1	...	Epilepsy ...	5	4			
Scald ...	3	...	Exhaustion, maniacal ...	1	4			
Strangled by a door ...	1	...	Heart disease ...	21	6			
Struck by a block on board a steamer ...	1	...	“ fatty degeneration of ...	4	...			

INQUESTS.

TABLE showing the Number of Inquests, and the Verdicts returned, throughout the Colony of New Zealand, during the Year 1878—continued.

Verdicts Returned.	No. of Inquests.		Verdicts Returned.	No. of Inquests.	
	On Males.	On Females		On Males.	On Females
II.—DISEASES AND NATURAL CAUSES—contd.					
Heart and lungs, disease of	I	...	
" spasms of	I	...	
Hernia, strangulated	I	
Hæmorrhage of bowels, &c.	6	I	
Inanition	I
Lung, clots of blood in artery of	I	...	
" congestion of	9	2	
" inflammation of	4	3	
Meningitis, tubercular	I	
Natural causes	15	I	
Œdema glottitis	1	...	
Paralysis	11	...	
Paraplegia	1	...	
Pericarditis	3	...	
Peritonitis	1	...	
Senile decay	3	I	
" dementia	I	
" gangræna	I	...	
Stomach, disease of	1	...	
" and bowels, inflammation of	3	...	
Syncope	I	...	
Whooping cough	I	
Total	151	51	
III.—HOMICIDAL.					
Murdered	I	I
Violence	I
Total	I	2	
IV.—INTEMPEEANCE.					
Drinking, excessive	6
Total	6
V.—SUICIDAL.					
Drowning	5
Hanging	11
Poisoning	2
Shooting	5
Stabbing	1
Throat-cutting	4
Total	28
VI.—UNCLASSIFIED.					
Died from want of nourishment	1
Exhaustion	3
Exposure to wet and cold	2
Found dead	10
" " from gun-shot wound	1
Unknown	3
Visitation of God	1
Total	21
Total of all classes	487
					101

TABLE SHOWING THE FIRE INQUESTS HELD DURING THE YEAR 1878.

Provincial Districts.	Total Number held.	Verdicts Returned.			
		Accidental or Unspecified.	Set on Fire purposely.	Not Sufficient Evidence.	No Evidence.
Auckland	...	4	I	...	14
Taranaki	5	I	2	...	2
Hawke's Bay	1	...	...	...	1
Wellington	7	I	2	...	4
Nelson	17	I	I	...	15
Marlborough	3	...	...	...	3
Canterbury	1	...	...	...	1
Westland	5	2	I	...	2
Otago	20	2	4	...	14
Totals ...	78	11	11	...	56

EDUCATION.

TABLE showing the Number of Public (Primary) Schools, and of Colleges, Grammar and High Schools, and also the Number of Private Schools, in the Colony of New Zealand, during 1878; together with the Number of Instructors, and the Number of Scholars therein.

Description of Schools.	Number of Schools,	Number of Instructors.			Number of Scholars for the Fourth Quarter of 1878.		
		Males,	Females,	Total.	Males,	Females,	Total.
Public (Government) Schools
Colleges, Grammar and High Schools, aided or endowed by Government	...	748	825	1,691	34,149	31,217	65,366
Private Schools	...	9	37	54	643	225	868
Totals	...	236	122	526	4,033	5,173	9,206
Native Schools supported by Government
Private Schools subsidized for the education of Maori children
Total Maori scholars

* These schools are included in the number above given for private schools. The number of Maori pupils only is given opposite this line. Information has not been supplied for 1878.

† These figures have been copied from the return for 1877, as the

TABLE showing the Public Schools in Operation during the Year 1878 in the several Districts, the Number of Teachers Employed, the Number of Children on the Rolls, and the Number in Average Attendance.

Education Districts.	Number of Schools.	Number of Teachers Employed.										Number of Scholars.					
		Males.					Females.					On the Rolls.		In Average Attendance during Fourth Quarter.			
		Masters.	Assistants.	Pupil-teachers.	Total.	Mistresses.	Assistants.	Pupil-teachers.	Sewing Mistresses.	Total.	At beginning of year.	At end of year.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
Auckland	193	157	12	16	185	28	89	77	33	227	10,917	11,928	5,020	4,075	9,995		
Taranaki	25	16	8	24	7	1	4	12	36	1,016	636	419	334	753	753		
Waanganui	47	35	1	1	37	9	10	15	34	71	1,658	2,729	1,176	965	2,141	2,141	
Wellington	36	32	6	5	43	3	24	35	62	105	3,130	4,645	1,925	1,449	3,374	3,374	
Hawke's Bay	32	23	...	3	26	12	5	11	6	60	1,281	2,008	890	753	1,649	1,649	
Marlborough	15	12	1	1	14	6	3	2	...	11	765	1,014	421	355	776	776	
Nelson	56	31	2	...	33	25	24	...	...	49	2,839	3,507	1,446	1,323	2,762	2,762
North Canterbury	109	101	17	40	158	57	41	78	30	206	11,144	13,636	5,330	4,746	10,976	10,976	
South Canterbury	17	17	4	7	28	6	7	18	4	35	63	2,064	2,666	1,005	872	1,877	1,877
Westland	36	29	5	5	39	7	9	22	...	38	2,701	2,689	1,108	1,024	2,132	2,132	
Diaego	129	30	4	31	190	52	20	61	7	140	10,800	16,078	7,046	6,445	13,491	13,491	
Southland	48	43	4	1	48	7	2	18	66	...	2,914	3,124	1,299	1,207	2,596	2,596	
Totals for 1878	748	625	82	118	825	219	235	332	88	866	1,691	50,849	65,040	27,091	23,548	50,639	

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—AGES OF SCHOLARS.

TABLE showing the Ages of the Scholars on the Rolls in the several Districts for the Fourth Quarter of 1878.

Education Districts.						Under 5 Years.	5 and under 7 Years.	7 and under 10 Years.	10 and under 13 Years.	13 and under 15 Years.	Over 15 Years.	Total of all Ages.
Auckland	...	...	...	...	...	35	2,732	4,502	3,421	1,129	385	12,204
Taranaki	...	...	...	...	...	31	204	387	296	87	11	1,016
Wanganui	...	...	...	...	...	78	557	1,007	801	214	51	2,708
Wellington	...	...	...	...	...	205	1,122	1,665	1,288	363	54	4,697
Hawke's Bay	...	...	...	...	...	78	504	699	544	148	12	1,985
Marlborough	...	...	...	...	...	31	208	412	271	74	19	1,015
Nelson	...	...	...	...	...	35	864	1,361	962	328	20	3,570
North Canterbury	...	...	...	...	...	538	3,029	4,926	3,955	1,033	166	13,647
South Canterbury	...	...	...	...	...	115	584	1,041	687	211	28	2,666
Westland	...	...	...	...	...	182	635	1,000	660	195	32	2,704
Otago	...	...	...	...	...	368	3,287	5,918	4,941	1,367	197	16,078
Southland	...	...	...	...	...	80	524	1,086	1,045	297	44	3,076
Totals	...	...	...	...	...	1,776	14,250	24,004	18,871	5,446	1,019	65,366
						Males.			Females.		Totals.	
Totals under 5 years	...	...	...	...	...	904	872	1,776				
" 5 and under 7 years	...	...	...	...	...	7,499	6,751	14,250				
" 7 and under 10 years	...	...	...	...	...	12,623	11,381	24,004				
" 10 and under 13 years	...	...	...	...	...	9,936	8,935	18,871				
" 13 and under 15 years	...	...	...	...	...	2,772	2,674	5,446				
" over 15 years	...	...	...	...	...	415	604	1,019				
Totals of all ages	...	...	...	...	...	34,149	31,217	65,366				

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—SUBJECTS OF INSTRUCTION.

TABLE showing the Number of Scholars returned by the different Boards as learning the several Subjects of Instruction specified in Section 84 of "The Education Act, 1877," during the last Quarter of 1878.

Education Districts.		Total Attendance.	Reading.	Writing.	Arithmetic.	English Grammar and Composition.	Geography.	History.	Elementary Science.	Drawing.	Object-lessons.	Vocal Music.	Needlework.	Domestic Economy.
Auckland	...	12,204	12,204	11,742	11,679	7,193	8,705	4,562	2,827	5,514	9,521	7,196	3,689	1,196
Taranaki	...	1,016	1,016	963	918	426	565	378	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wanganui	...	2,708	2,708	2,462	2,439	1,418	1,496	790	284	620	1,981	752	531	229
Wellington	...	4,697	4,697	4,507	4,372	2,232	2,529	1,413	606	1,267	3,996	2,127	799	38
Hawke's Bay	...	1,985	1,985	1,778	1,658	722	869	425	259	441	615	516	506	95
Marlborough	...	1,015	1,015	977	946	569	617	313	207	234	505	373	200	117
Nelson	...	3,570	3,570	3,006	2,764	1,329	1,463	774	138	206	221	115	733	...
North Canterbury	...	13,647	13,647	13,018	12,625	6,237	6,695	4,734	1,691	5,219	9,180	8,674	5,103	1,163
South Canterbury	...	2,666	2,666	2,627	3,582	1,010	1,027	725	370	453	997	1,319	484	204
Westland	...	2,704	2,704	2,434	2,358	1,153	1,252	493	3	28	878	1,220	496	...
Otago	...	16,078	16,078	12,960	12,924	7,834	7,900	1,600	1,302	5,427	7,527	10,383	3,787	197
Southland	...	3,076	3,076	2,459	2,416	1,680	1,746	529	208	618	908	577	692	65
Totals	...	65,366	65,366	58,933	58,681	31,803	34,864	16,736	7,895	20,027	36,329	33,252	17,020	3,304

NOTE.—There are altogether in connection with the public primary schools 97 scholarships, 42 of which are open to pupils of the Board schools, and the remaining 55 to all comers. The values range from £20 to £50 each per annum. 91 of these scholarships are open to competition by both boys and girls. The Wellington College also confers four scholarships, giving free education at the College, on boys from the primary schools of the age of 12 years and upwards,

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—INCOME AND EXPENDITURE.
TABLE showing the Income and Expenditure of the different Education Boards for the Year 1878.

Education Districts.	Amount Received from						Amount Expended.						Totals.																	
	Government.			Education Reserves.			Local Sources, &c.			Totals.																				
							Boards Expenses.			Maintenance of Schools.			Miscellaneous Payments.																	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.															
Auckland	59,291	9	11	29,515	3	2,477	0	2	62,064	5	4	2,742	16	6	818 19 1	35,580	8	8	23,562	4	5	935 18 6	63,640	7	2					
Taranaki	4,432	2	10	60	0	0	16	2	8	4,508	5	6	346	1	5	100 0 0	2,457	7	9	1,381	8	8	2 15	6	4,287	13	4			
Wanganui	11,334	10	6	...	116	19	7	11,451	10	1	565	15	4	308	10	0	5,982	8	9	4,682	3	0	128 15	5	11,667	12	6			
Wellington	23,289	7	11	238	19	0	2,972	7	1	26,500	14	0	829	14	8	392	3	6	13,438	8	4	6,126	9	9	2,561	16	9	23,348	13	0
Hawke's Bay	16,157	4	5	614	5	9	275	19	6	17,047	9	8	595	7	3	512	10	0	6,207	19	7	2,740	3	10	4 12	6	10,060	13	2	
Marlborough	5,117	13	3	21 17	6	235	3	3	5,374	14	0	151	9	2	101	12	0	3,375	6	6	2,113	12	8	...	...	5,742	0	4	
Nelson	17,026	5	6	347	11	2	54	0	3	17,427	16	11	648	10	2	335	7	0	10,437	5	4	3,182	14	2	...	...	14,603	16	8
North Canterbury	60,772	11	3	4,290	0	7	2,771	10	11	67,834	2	9	1,666	14	11	1,288	13	8	43,474	13	11	20,837	19	5	202 12	0	67,470	13	11	
South Canterbury	11,804	9	0	925	18	2	149	4	10	12,879	12	0	380	19	6	157	8	6	4,383	16	11	3,029	2	8	...	...	7,951	7	7
Westland	24,101	12	11	47	3	0	767	1	0	21,915	16	11	811	16	8	659	0	0	11,284	3	1	9,626	3	3	417	3	7	22,798	6	7
Otago	76,741	0	0	1,792	13	1	694	0	4	79,227	13	5	1,145	13	5	1,295	1	10	47,842	8	6	11,116	8	11	...	...	61,399	12	8
Southland	10,854	19	5	228	0	3	121	6	6	11,204	6	2	340	13	2	173	8	10	7,035	8	1	2,093	7	0	0 7	10	9,643	4	11	
Totals	317,923	6	11	8,862	3	9	10,650	16	1	337,436	6	9	10,225	12	2	6,142	14	5	191,499	15	5	90,491	17	9	4,254	2	1	302,614	11	0

TABLE showing the Secondary or Superior Schools having Public Endowments or Receiving Government Aid in 1878.
SECONDARY OR SUPERIOR AIDED SCHOOLS.

Name of Institution.	Number of Instructors.*	Number of Students. On Roll for last Term of 1878.	Average Attendance for last Term of 1878.	Ages (where given) of the Students.				Ordinary Dayschool Fees per Annum.	No. of Resident Boarders.
				Under 10 Years.	10 and under 15 Years.	15 and under 18 Years.	Total.		
For Boys:—									
Auckland College and Grammar School	7	214	198	4	142	68	...
Wellington College ¹	6	73	71	2	56	13	2
Collegiate School, Wanganui	2	36†	36†	...	...	...	73
Nelson College ²	5	105	100†	...	...	...	...
Christ's College Grammar School ³	9	200	190	2	104	81	...
Otago High School, Dunedin	8	156	147	6	117	33	...
Totals for Boys	37	784	742	14	419	195	15
For Girls:—									
Girls' High School, Auckland	7	150	141	...	...	...	...
Girls' High School, Christchurch	5	93	84	2	65	26	...
Girls' High School, Dunedin ⁴	5	132	122	2	99	29	2
Totals for Girls	17	375	347	4	164	55	132
Totals	54	1,159	1,089	18	583	250	17
								868	643
								99 17 0	99 17 0
									180

* Regular teachers only; visiting teachers are not included. † Approximate number.

NOTE.—Acts were passed in 1878 for the establishment of ten additional high schools in different parts of the colony, to be endowed with grants of land. Of these proposed high schools, the Girls' High School, Auckland, was the only one established in the year 1878.

(¹) In connection with the Wellington College there are four endowed scholarships, viz., two of £25 each, tenable for two years, and two of £40 each, tenable respectively for two and three years. (²) There are four endowed scholarships, viz., £24, tenable for three years; £20, tenable for two years; and £16, tenable for three years. There are also six foundation scholarships varying in value from £5 to £20, and, for the present, four Governors'-fees scholarships of the value of £12 10s. each. (³) The Christ's College Grammar School is a department of Christ's College, Canterbury. At present there are in connection with the Grammar School two scholarships of £15 each, and four scholarships of £40 each. It is proposed to increase the number, the income of the various scholarships having considerably increased. (⁴) In connection with the Girls' High School, Dunedin, there are three open exhibitions of £20, tenable for one year, open to competition by pupils of the school and others; and four of £10 each, open to competition by pupils only.

PRIVATE SCHOOLS.

TABLE showing the Number of Private Schools in Operation in the Colony of New Zealand, in December, 1878, from which Returns have been received by the Registrar-General.

Towns or Districts.	Number of Schools.				Number of Teachers.			Number of Scholars.			Daily Average Attendance.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Mixed.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Auckland	2	5	16	23	14	50	64	396	734	1,130	348	659	1,007
Cambridge	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	5	12	17	5	8	13
Coromandel	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	1	7	8	1	7	8
Devonport	...	...	2	2	...	4	4	12	21	33	11	20	31
Epsom	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	8	12	20	8	12	20
Glenside	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	78	78	...	70	70	70
Hamilton	...	2	1	3	...	5	5	3	30	33	2	29	31
Newton	...	1	2	3	1	4	5	44	58	102	41	55	96
Onehunga	2	2	1	5	2	11	13	79	99	178	58	88	146
Opotiki	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	4	16	20	3	14	17
Otahuahu	1	1	1	3	1	4	5	51	44	95	47	39	86
Parnell	...	...	5	5	...	13	13	98	130	228	87	122	209
Ponsonby	...	...	2	2	...	3	3	13	29	42	12	26	38
Remuera	...	...	1	1	...	3	3	4	13	17	4	13	17
Tauranga	1	3	4	1	1	5	6	30	45	75	25	32	57
Thames	1	2	4	7	2	11	13	110	205	315	72	177	249
Hawera	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	22	9	31	21	9	30
New Plymouth	2	7	9	1	9	10	10	81	108	189	67	90	157
Meanee	...	...	1	1	2	1	3	78	24	102	61	19	80
Napier	3	3	3	9	9	15	24	255	234	489	220	205	425
Te Aute	1	...	1	1	1	...	1	38	...	38	34	...	34
Waipawa	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	4	4	8	4	4	8
Greytown	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	9	1	8	9
Marton	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	5	3	8	4	3	7
Masterton	...	1	1	2	...	4	4	10	47	57	10	40	50
Palmerston	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	6	16	22	6	16	22
Wanganui	1	1	6	8	4	9	13	145	131	276	159	117	276
Wellington	2	2	15	19	11	39	50	373	432	805	313	409	722
Blenheim	1	2	2	5	1	4	5	49	84	133	53	58	111
Picton	...	...	3	3	1	3	4	27	30	57	20	28	48
Ahaura	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	9	7	16	7	6	13
Nelson	1	1	8	10	5	15	20	95	147	242	92	137	229
Reefton	...	...	3	3	2	2	4	85	70	155	68	59	127
Westport	...	...	2	2	1	3	4	29	28	57	27	28	55
Greymouth	1	2	3	2	2	2	4	123	126	249	116	89	205
Hokitika	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	10	9	19	8	7	15
Kumara	...	...	2	2	1	3	4	62	96	158	55	88	143
Akaroa	...	...	1	1	...	2	2	4	17	21	4	17	21
Ashburton	...	...	1	1	...	3	3	1	10	11	1	7	8
Barry's Bay	1	...	1	1	1	1	1	16	...	16	15	...	15
Bingsland	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	10	10	...	10	10	10
Christchurch	5	10	5	20	27	47	74	656	595	1,251	575	546	1,121
Kaiapoi	...	...	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	16	18	11	13
Leeston	...	1	...	1	1	1	1	10	10	...	10	10	10
Lincoln	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	26	14	40	23	9	32
Lyttelton	1	...	4	5	3	10	13	81	75	156	64	64	128
Papanui	...	...	2	2	...	10	10	23	36	59	20	34	54
Prebbleton	...	1	...	1	1	1	1	...	4	4	...	3	3
Rangiora	2	...	2	2	...	3	3	...	20	20	...	16	16
Temuka	...	1	1	1	2	...	2	2	16	18	2	16	18
Timaru	1	...	6	7	2	12	14	56	91	147	54	87	141
Upper Riccarton	1	1	1	2	6	7	13	54	40	94	52	38	90
Waimate	...	2	1	3	1	3	4	4	33	37	4	26	30
Albert Town	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	4	9	13	4	9	13
Blueskin	1	...	1	1	2	...	2	7	...	7	7	...	7
Caversham	...	...	1	1	1	2	2	12	17	29	12	17	29
Cromwell	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	7	16	23	5	14	19
Dunedin	1	2	9	12	8	37	45	410	669	1,079	354	558	912
Invercargill	...	1	2	3	2	6	8	38	69	107	34	58	92
Lawrence	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	3	5	8	3	3	6
Milton	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	10	30	40	8	25	33
Naseby	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	21	18	39	20	14	34
North-East Valley	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	4	11	15	4	11	15
Oamaru	2	1	4	7	2	9	11	139	82	221	114	72	186
Port Chalmers	...	1	2	3	...	5	5	14	54	68	10	48	58
Portobello	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	7	13	20	6	12	18
Queenstown	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	25	12	37	20	10	30
Tinkers	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	11	9	20	9	9	18
St. Bathans	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	21	26	47	18	20	38
Waikari	1	...	1	1	1	1	1	10	10	10	10	...	10
Totals	29	52	155	236	122	404	526	4,033	5,173	9,206	3,573	4,565	8,138

TABLE showing the Number of Native Schools (for the Education of Children of the Aboriginal Native Race) established under the provisions of "The Native Schools Act, 1867," Maintained or Receiving Aid from the Revenue of the Colony of New Zealand, in each District or Locality, during the Year ended 31st December, 1878.*

Locality.	No. of Schools.	Number of Pupils. Males. Females.	Number of Instructors and Rates of Salary.*						Amount of Grant made by Government during Year 1878†											
			Native Instructors.			European Instructors.			For Salaries, Males.			Rate of Salary per Annum.			For Salaries, Females.					
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Auckland—																				
Ahipara	1	34	31	...	...	1	120	0	0	1	120	0	0	49	5	2	
Kaitaia	1	18	10	...	...	1	120	0	0	1	120	0	0	33	11	0	
Peria	1	20	15	1	5	0	1	120	0	0	1	140	0	0	40	0	3
Awanihi	1	14	7	...	5	0	1	120	0	0	1	160	0	0	11	6	0
Pukepoto	1	41	19	2	5	0	1	155	0	0	1	120	0	0	33	15	1
Te Ngare	1	1	110	0	0	1	20	0	0	1	6	0
Waiapu	1	12	13	...	...	1	110	0	0	1	20	0	0	130	0	0	
Waima	1	25	13	...	...	1	120	0	0	1	120	0	0	130	0	0	
Oriwa	1	14	21	...	...	1	120	0	0	1	150	0	0	122	10	0	
Pakia	1	9	12	...	...	1	120	0	0	1	20	0	0	150	0	0	
Whirinaki	1	38	14	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	100	0	0	130	0	0	
Lower Waihou	1	24	19	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	120	0	0	125	5	4	
Upper Waihou	1	21	16	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	20	0	0	103	10	8	
Oromahoe	1	17	9	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	100	0	0	100	0	0	
Waionio	1	13	2	...	...	1	120	0	0	1	100	0	0	140	0	0	
Mangakahia	1	19	18	...	...	1	110	0	0	1	100	0	0	130	0	0	
Te Ti	1	9	11	...	1	100	0	0	1	100	0	0	100	0	0		
Ohaewa	1	33	14	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	120	0	0	120	0	0	
Waikare	1	23	13	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	80	0	0	80	0	0	
Matakohe	1	...	...	...	...	1	130	0	0	1	...	...	...	130	0	0	
Otamatea	1	20	8	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	20	0	0	160	0	0	
Kaihiu	1	...	...	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	20	0	0	128	6	8	
Orakei	1	11	5	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	20	0	0	120	0	0	
Taupiri	1	...	...	...	...	1	40	0	0	1	...	...	...	55	0	0	
Paeroa	1	...	...	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tarawera	1	22	19	...	...	1	120	0	0	1	20	0	0	130	0	0	
Rotoiti	1	14	12	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	20	0	0	120	0	0	
Galatea	1	...	...	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	100	0	0	155	16	1	
Taupo	1	...	...	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	100	0	0	120	0	0	
Puhirua	1	12	12	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	100	0	0	74	18	4	
Maketu	1	20	17	...	...	1	120	0	0	1	20	0	0	140	0	0	
Matata	1	21	16	...	...	1	130	0	0	1	20	0	0	150	0	0	
Whakatane	1	25	26	...	...	1	140	0	0	1	100	0	0	160	0	0	
Omaramutu	1	...	...	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	20	0	0	128	11	0	
Torere	1	21	16	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	...	...	...	54	3	10	
Omaio	1	26	16	...	...	1	100	0	0	1	20	0	0	120	0	0	
						1	100	0	0	1	20	0	0	17	2	10

* The figures in the several columns under this head have been copied from the return for 1877, as the information has not been supplied for 1878.

ending 30th June, 1878.

† The amounts in these columns are for the financial year

NATIVE SCHOOLS.

TABLE showing the Number of Native Schools (for the Education of Children of the Aboriginal Native Race) established under the provisions of "The Native Schools Act, 1867." Maintained or Receiving Aid from the Revenue of the Colony of New Zealand, in each District or Locality, during the Year ended 31st December, 1878.—*contd.*

Locality.	No. of Schools,	Number of Pupils, Males, Females.	Native Instructors.			European Instructors.			Number of Instructors and Rates of Salary.*			Amount of Grant made by Government during Year 1878.†							
			Rate of Salary per Annum.		Males.	Females.	Rate of Salary per Annum.	Males.	Females.	Rate of Salary per Annum.	For Salaries,	For Buildings, &c.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				
			£	s.	£	s.	£	s.	£	s.	£	s.	£	£	£				
Auckland— <i>continued.</i>																			
Te Kaha	1	24	12	...	1	110	0	0	140	0	0	40	7	8			
Kawakawa	1	...	...	...	1	110	0	0	20	0	0	9	15	2		
Waionatatin	1	37	13	...	1	110	0	0	20	0	0	42	11	4			
Aukuaku	1	24	14	...	1	130	0	0	150	0	0	10	13	10			
Tokomaru	1	18	12	...	1	120	0	0	120	0	0	8	11	6			
Tologa Bay	1	10	13	...	1	130	0	0	150	0	0	14	12	6			
Whakato	1	...	...	...	1	120	0	0	20	0	0	1	0	0		
Hawke's Bay—																			
Wairoa	1	13	8	...	1	120	0	0	20	0	0	3	11	8			
Omahu	1	1	91	13	4	1	20	0	...	5	9	6		
Pakawhao	1	7	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wellington—																			
Iruharama	1	...	...	1	5	0	0	1	120	0	0	149	3	4		
Parikino	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	120	0	0	46	13	4			
Awahuri	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	100	0	0	40	0	0			
Taranaki—																			
Oakura	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maribourough—																			
Wairau	1	8	8	...	1	60	0	0	...	...	...	45	0	0		
Waikawa	1	16	10	...	1	120	0	0	20	0	0	140	0	0			
Canvas Town	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Westland—																			
Arahura	1	10	1	...	1	75	0	0	...	...	...	75	0	0		
Canterbury—															§ 6	9	9		
Little River	1	12	9	...	1	130	0	0	1	20	0	0	125	0	0		
Kaiapoi	1	13	10	...	1	130	0	0	1	20	0	0	125	0	0		
Rapaki	1	1		
Otago—																			
Otago Heads	1	1	...	1	180	0	0	165	0	0		
Wailonaiti	1	21	20	...	1	110	0	0	1	20	0	0	140	0	0		
Port Molyneux	1	14	7	...	1	30	0	0		
Riverton	1	19	14	...	1	100	0	0	...	...	...	100	0	0		
Totals	61	817	565	4	...	51	...	45	6,452	4	10	2,014	12	6

* The figures in the several columns under this head have been copied from the return for 1877, as the information has not been supplied for 1878.

† The amounts in these columns are for the financial year ending 30th June, 1878. § Also £75 from Greymouth Native Reserve.

Note.—Character of education entirely English—reading, writing, arithmetic, geography (including the use of the globes), and general history. The females are taught needlework in addition when there is a female teacher.

SUBSIDIZED SCHOOLS FOR THE EDUCATION OF ABORIGINAL NATIVES.

TABLE showing the Number of Schools receiving Subsidies under the provisions of "The Native Schools Act, 1867," but not established thereunder, for the Education of the Aboriginal Native Race, during the Year 1878.

District and Locality	Number of Schools.	Number of Pupils.		Amount of Grant by Government.	
		Male.	Female.	For Capitation.	Sundry Allowances.
Auckland—					
St. Stephen's	...	45	...	627 3 0	242 8 4
St. Mary's	60 0 0	0 12 6
Taumarere	...	3	17	366 0 0	6 14 3
Kaikohe	...	53	42	130 10 0	35 8 9
Woodhill	35 4 9
Karakariki	99 15 5	...
Kawhia	...	5	5	50 0 0	...
Driving Creek	22 13 0	...
Parawai	5 5 0	...
Huarau	10 6 10	...
Maioro	6 0 0	...
Alexandra	15 0 0	...
Rangiawhia	3 0 0	...
Kihikihi	3 0 0	...
Tauranga	...	12	...	...	163 19 4
Opotiki	...	10	6	80 0 0	3 2 11
Hawke's Bay—					
Te Aute Institute	...	42	...	150 0 0	1 10 0
Girls' School	41	400 0 0	...
St. Joseph's Providence	24	650 7 0	230 0 0
St. Mary's, Meanee	...	18	...	167 11 3	5 0 0
Wellington—					
St. Joseph's Providence	16	237 10 3	...
Te Aro	66 0 0	...
A. Boughton	210 0 0	...
Bowden and Porritt	5 5 9
Tiniwaitara	...	14	4	...	...
Taranaki—					
Oakura	2 18 6	0 12 11
Waitara West	4 11 0	0 17 8
Marlborough—					
Canvas Town	32 0 0	...
Oaro	7 15 0
Canterbury—					
Port Levy	4 0 0	0 19 1
Otago—					
Flint's Bush	1 2 8	...
Taieri Ferry	62 19 9	...
Taieri Beach	24 5 3	...
Pukaranui	8 6 6	...
Ruapuke	...	3	3	31 4 0	31 6 0
The Neck	...	17	13	60 13 1	...
Dunedin High School	*40 7 6	...
Brinn's Point	9 11 3
Amount expended in purchase of carpenters' tools, &c.	3,632 10 0	780 8 6
Management—					
Secretary	100 0 0
Clerk	225 0 0
Inspector, Bay of Plenty, salary	25 0 0
Inspector, Middle Island, salary and travelling expenses	131 12 5
Inspector, Auckland, travelling allowance and expenses	48 0 0
Books	2 12 0
Totals	...	36	222	171	3,632 10 0
					1,318 3 4

* Also £40 7s. 6d. paid by parents.

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STATISTICS OF NEW ZEALAND, 1878.

MISCELLANEOUS.

COUNTIES, BOROUGHS, ROAD AND RIVER BOARDS.

Revenue.												Expenditure.												Assets and Liabilities.									
From Government,			From Rates,			From other Sources,*			Total,			Public Works,			Salaries, &c.,			Other Expenses,			Total,			Assets.†			Liabilities.‡			Assets and Liabilities.			
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Counties	384,861	16	9	34,154	10	6	88,879	16	11	507,896	4	2	369,395	1	11	20,192	1	9	57,929	11	0	447,516	14	8	§102,232	9	10	§...	...	...	...
Boroughs	47,163	4	9	118,258	5	3	178,809	2	1	344,230	12	1	504,092	0	3	39,771	9	10	122,900	14	10	666,764	4	11	929,294	1	11	1,410,509	9	5	1,259,414	15	0
Road Districts	352,513	2	1	78,882	7	1	67,546	8	1	498,941	17	3	449,381	1	1	21,949	1	7	28,556	12	8	499,887	5	4	547,910	1	10	57,308	14	2	...	...	...
River Boards..	5,964	8	0	3,992	18	2	1,300	0	0	10,957	6	2	14,237	5	6	511	10	6	1,951	15	8	16,700	11	8	4,860	16	2	22,205	13	5	...	...	...
Totals	790,502	11	7	234,988	1	7	336,535	7	0	1,362,025	19	8	1,337,105	18	9	82,424	3	8	211,338	14	2	1,630,868	16	7	1,584,297	8	11	1,490,023	17	0	1,259,414	15	0

* Including tolls, licenses, &c.

In this column the amount of outstanding bonds included, at 1st January, 1911, is given, exclusive of the value of public buildings, furniture, waterworks, &c., including only such assets as would be available for meeting liabilities, exclusive of the value of public buildings, furniture, waterworks, &c.

The assets and liabilities of the company as at the end of the financial year are included in the statement of financial position.

The sum of £102,232 95, recd, represents the total cash in hand at date of balance^(1st April 1870) Assets and liabilities of Counties have not been stated.

Note.—The return of revenue and expenditure in this summary represents the net receipts and expenditure of the year, exclusive of credit and debit balances, bank overdrafts, loans, and deposits.

COUNTIES. (a)

TABLE showing the Population and Number of Dwellings, together with the Amount of Revenue and Expenditure of the several Counties of the Colony of New Zealand, for the Financial Year ending 31st March, 1879; also the Balances in hand on 1st April, 1879.

Note.—The returns of revenue and expenditure in this table represent the net receipts and expenditure of the year, exclusive of credit and debit balances, bank overdrafts, loans, and deposits.

Name of County.	Population, March, 1898, (b)	Number of Dwellings, (c)	Revenue from			Expenditure.					
			Government, (d)	Rates, (e)	Other Sources, (f)	Total,	Public Works.	Hospitals, &c.	Salaries,	Other Expenditure,	Grants to Road Boards,
Mongonui	1,264	240	£ 104 16 2	£ 3 0 0	£ 107 16 2	£ 25 0 0	£ 15 1 5	£ 15 1 5	£ 40 1 5	£ 67 14 9	£ 67 14 9
Bay of Islands	1,489	340	3,855 13 10	244 11 10	420 1 7	4,520 7 3	2,703 3 2	1,36 19 6	1,77 3 3	3,038 3 11	2,051 3 5
Hokianga	419	82	2,561 13 11	83 7 1	204 0 5	2,849 1 5	646 17 11	1 10 0	110 2 10	790 5 9	2,179 5 0
Whangarei	2,906	575	7,376 11 8	415 13 11	181 8 2	7,973 13 7	6,442 4 10	677 7 0	252 1 9	7,468 7 8	734 9 0
Hobson	2,171	469	3,915 7 10	157 8 0	3,670 16 0	914 13 1	677 7 0	50 0	170 15 1	3,594 15 2	132 15 6
Rodney	3,122	658	3,963 18 9	294 4 1	778 10 2	4,042 8 11	1,481 18 10	71 8 0	200 11 8	2,391 4 0	1,159 18 0
Waitāmata	3,424	782	2,674 9 10	108 17 0	258 1 8	3,226 15 7	1,349 2 5	48 12 6	151 6 6	361 18 3	2,472 19 2
Eden	13,982	2,724	1,752	...	...	...	...	...	108 0 0	0 17 0	108 17 0
Manukau	9,152	533	1,189 (1) 15,689	9 3	924 19 6	2,688 11 2	19,302 19 11	20,794 13 4	82 8 6	887 5 0	23,973 9 5
Coromandel	2,053	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Thames	4,951	69	3,604 11 2	69 18 8	318 10 10	3,993 0 8	4,061 8 9	150 0 0	162 18 4	4,374 7 1	1,23 4 2
Waikato	1,938	405	186	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Raglan	797	186	539	555 4 3	30 0 0	585 4 3	50 12 7	11 5 0	107 14 5	275 0 0	393 19 5
Waipa	2,538	539	508 12 11	492 9 5	98 5 7	1,099 7 11	50 12 7	128 6 0	104 18 3	283 16 10	191 4 10
Tauranga	1,550	378	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kawhia	...	69	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taupo East	...	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taupo West	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whakatane	783	195	10,634 9 11	916 9 1	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0
Wainoa	899	167	2,270 7 1	786 6 9	1,158 2 10	12,709 1 10	8,854 1 2	507 4 8	737 3 7	10,098 9 5	4,629 12 2
Hawke's Bay	4,144	813	3,024 6 7	2,949 8 10	2,602 11 4	8,576 6 9	2,973 0 10	51 0 0	213 10 285 3 1	2,622 13 11	946 15 3
Waipawa	4,721	940	6,314 5 1	1,3396 8 0	1,049 8 1	8,760 1 2	5,935 12 8	...	738 16 8	963 15 3	10,097 14 5
Taranaki	4,689	961	4,069 2 3	...	940 17 0	5,009 19 3	3,478 12 5	257 10 4	783 6 8	791 11 3	7,510 10 7
Patea	2,988	611	8,935 5 5	937 15 3	2,238 18 1	11,211 18 9	5,292 9 0	766 6 1	313 5 0	772 18 5	4,974 12 2
Wanganui	2,647	509	3,749 5 10	...	1,297 11 8	5,937 17 6	6,240 9 11	257 11 1	311 15 0	257 11 1	7,144 13 6
Rangitikei	3,690	682	2,799 3 10	1,139 19 5	3,939 3 3	1,879 5 9	6 18 10	294 19 0	6 18 10	1,954 18 0	3,400 14 6
Manawatu	4,850	1,935	4,865 6 8	1,258 2 3	1,125 13 8	7,249 2 7	5,546 5 7	762 15 0	762 15 0	564 3 0	7,190 11 5
Hutt	7,007	2,824	3,857 14 4	4,012 15 11	7,850 10 3	6,510 5 5	6,510 5 5	675 0 0	489 18 0	489 18 0	1,196 4 0
Waairatara West	5,490	1,111	3,235 8 4	...	3,270 16 5	3,882 1 1	4,08 17 6	129 0 0	200 0 0	7930 5 4	3,868 18 2
Waairatara East	1,100	181	1,731 4 5	148 10 10	1,879 15 3	954 2 11	80 9 1	85 6 1	247 9 0	962 11 10	72 2 11
Sounds	...	570	140	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Marlborough	3,713	782	144	561 17 4	...	...	...	...	...	507 1 8	49 11 8
Kaikoura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Collingwood	1,477	387	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Waimea	7,037	1,282	10	1 4	16 0 0	26 1 4	16 1 4	16 1 4	16 1 4	86 16 8	86 16 8

Balance in hand
on
1st April, 1898.
(£)

Buller	2,391	839(2) 782(3)	5,867 14 11,273 0	2 7	263 19 1,236 11	9 7	563 10 6,469 2	0 9	6,695 3 18,978 14	2 11	8,389 19 16,351 8	2 3	198 1 880 5	1 6	237 10 592 18	0 4	1,101 15 1,183 2	10 9	9,927 6 19,997 14	1 10						
Inangahua	2,970	458	94	117	26	2591 7 8,652 15	6 11	1,280 9 177 12	6	1,371 18 3,033 15	16 11	11,864 4 11,864 4	4 4	12,627 7 16,066 10	6 11	50 0 184 3	0 4	949 0 885 8	0 0	3,335 4 2,662 14	7 4	19,798 16 19,798 16	7 7			
Amuri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cheviot	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grey	...	4,846	1,595	2,070	8,652	2,591 7 15 11	6 11	1,280 9 177 12	6	1,371 18 3,033 15	16 11	11,864 4 11,864 4	4 4	12,627 7 16,066 10	6 11	50 0 184 3	0 4	949 0 885 8	0 0	3,335 4 2,662 14	7 4	19,798 16 19,798 16	7 7			
Westland	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ashley	...	11,759	2,192	3,722	7,309	7,375(5) 12,787	7 5	348 14 3,399 16	0 10	13,136 1 21,020 7	5 8	3,953 16 5,267 6	2 8	81 14 348 6	0 8	382 5 487 8	2 4	5,279 9 5,279 9	7 7	9,697 4 9,697 4	11 11	
Akaroa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,378 16 6,193 10	11 0	6,193 10 6,193 10	0 0	7,975 6 179 19	9 11	...	...	179 19 179 19	11 11	...	...			
Selwyn	...	6,123	1,156	59,814	13	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ashburton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Geraldine (see note)	9,775	1,793	1,793	4,269	779	32,667 18 5,998 11	9 11	1,084 0 650 12	7 8	1,3518 1,689 1	4 10	4,721 20 8,338 6	3 5	43,663 9 13,886 7	8 6	23,15 6 150 0	6 0	1,789 10 1,027 4	0 8	2,938 12 686 2	0 11	48,415 5 15,749 15	0 1	0 1		
Waimate	...	6,668	6,603	2,255	5,894	5,894 13 13 6	6 6	1,538 1 7,452 17	1 11	1,538 1 2,590 5	0 9	11,019 13 10,043 3	4 8	14,431 2 4,982 19	6 11	950 0 529 6	0 9	927 17 1,452 0	7 6	1,793 16 1,793 16	11 11	15,749 16 15,749 16	11 11			
Waitaki	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maniototo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taikourauiti	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taieri	...	1,375	1,375	1,375	5,174 2 11	1	2,390 10 1,756 4	11 10	4,043 14 5,156 4	9 10	4,043 14 5,156 4	9 10	6,011 10 5,755 5	3 6	1,202 11 1,202 11	5 5	863 19 755 5	6 6	7,447 1 7,447 1	5 5	4,451 7 4,451 7	4 4		
Peninsula	...	2,195	493	775	15,661 3 19,198 6	5 7	1,629 3 2,474 0	5 0	3,523 7 5,315 19	10 2	20,813 14 26,329 14	8 5	15,108 15 28,665 17	4 5	350 0 100 0	0 0	728 6 1,268 19	8 11	890 11 2,593 11	1 6	1,7,077 13 32,628 8	1 10	7,805 17 12,408 15	11 7		
Lake	...	2,195	780(9)	1,239	18,410 15 14,458 6	1 1	15,661 3 2,512 19	5 0	3,000 17 5,315 19	11 2	23,673 4 28,665 17	9 2	1,271 19 5,180 5	5 8	150 0 150 0	0 0	504 12 2,265 10	5 2	5,04 12 5,82 0	5 0	32,628 13 34,642 3	8 8	12,408 15 12,408 15	11 7		
Vincent	...	3,001	6,666	4,833	1,901 15 1,901 15	1 1	15,661 3 2,512 19	5 0	3,000 17 5,315 19	11 2	23,673 4 28,665 17	9 2	1,271 19 5,180 5	5 8	150 0 150 0	0 0	324 2 5,72 0	2 0	3,289 13 6,853 2	0 0	32,628 13 6,853 2	8 8	12,408 15 12,408 15	11 7		
Taupōka	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clutha	...	3,731	3,731	10,282	10,417 13 12,737 14	1 5	1,682 15 7,364 0	7 1	313 14 1,405 10	0 4	12,414 2 36,144 4	8 10	5,933 17 32,858 1	5 10	545 0 537 10	0 0	374 4 654 11	8 10	2,464 2 7,528 17	4 10	2,464 2 7,528 17	4 10				
Southland	...	2,394	507	1,3802 17	1	1,499 10	8 0	(13) 1,631 1	4	16,984 9	1	7,330 10	3	155 7 690 16	2 8	1,056 19 1,056 19	0 0	...	...	...	...	...
Wallace	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fjord	...	13	245	75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stewart Island	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	...	247,617	51,640	384,861 16	9	34,154 10	6	88,879 16	11	507,896 4	2	369,395 1	11	5,937 11	1	28,192 1	1	35,192 1	1	16,799 17	4	144,751 16	14	8	102,232 9	10

(a) The figures in this table relate to counties, exclusive of their interior boroughs, it being provided by "The Counties Act, 1876," that boroughs shall not be included in counties. (See separate table for the boroughs.)

(b) Including Chinese and half-castes, but excluding Maoris or persons of the Native race.

(c) Exclusive of tents and dwellings with canvas roofs.

(d) Including grants of pound for pound on rates collected under the provisions of the Financial Arrangements Act, and grants for special purposes.

(e) Ordinary rates and rates for special purposes included.

(f) Being licenses, tolls, dues, rents, &c.

(g) Returns of assets and liabilities have not been supplied. The cash in hand at date of balancing only can be stated.

NOTE.—Wherever blanks occur in this table the public works were altogether carried on under the direction of the different Road Boards, the provisions of “The Counties Act, 1876,” not having been in operation. In the case of Geraldine in the previous year the receipts of this county were of considerable magnitude. Since then doubts have arisen as to the legal constitution and powers of the Council. No return of receipts and expenditure for the year has been received.

BOROUGHS.—(I.)

TABLE showing the Area, Population, Number of Dwellings, Number of Ratepayers, Number of Rateable Properties, Amount of Rate levied in the Pound, and Annual Value of Rateable Property in the several Boroughs throughout the Colony of New Zealand, for the Municipal Financial Year ended 31st March, 1879.

Name of Borough.	Estimated Population.	Estimated Number of Dwellings.	Number of		Amount of Rate levied in the Pound.	Estimated Net Annual Value of Rateable Property.
			Ratepayers.	Rateable Properties.		
Auckland	13,731	3,000	1,600	3,336	{ 1 0 }	154,203 0 0
Parnell	2,900	542	405	643	{ 1 3 }	16,784 10 0
Onehunga	2,095	460	465	683	0 6	9,165 10 0
Thames	5,500	1,102	1,348	1,530	1 0	33,977 0 0
Gisborne	1,600	292	248	610	1 0	16,731 0 6
Hamilton	1,150	272	356	706	{ 1 0 }	8,568 10 0
New Plymouth	2,800	635	546	982	1 0	26,316 9 0
Wanganui	4,000	763	594	1,020	{ 1 0 }	46,775 15 0
Palmerston North	1,000	260	388	1,141	1 0	11,786 18 0
Wellington	22,000	3,629	2,678	5,177	{ 1 0 }	241,836 0 0
Greytown	...	270	220	350	1 0	5,735 3 11
Masterton	200	370	420	670	{ 0 1 }	24,085 15 0
Napier	6,500	1,300	687	1,813	1 6	47,977 0 0
Picton	730	160	256	1,303	1 0	5,093 19 6
Blenheim	1,800	320	383	...	1 0	16,007 10 0
Nelson	6,800	1,260	948	1,646	1 0	54,630 0 0
Westport	1,050	340	354	687	1 0	10,461 0 0
Greymouth	3,000	720	376	1,023	{ 1 0 }	23,103 0 0
Hokitika	3,000	820	650	1,115	1 0	22,476 0 0
Ross	1,170	342	334	359	1 0	4,140 10 0
Kumara	880	220	328	1,020	1 0	10,204 0 0
Kaiapoi	1,150	240	198	362	1 0	7,841 0 0
Akaroa	655	136	143	191	1 0	5,378 10 0
Christchurch	14,663	2,666	1,938	3,622	1 0	204,050 0 0
Rangiora	1,100	276	296	457	0 9	5,948 5 0
Lyttelton	3,476	630	700	720	1 0	27,008 0 0
Sydenham	6,700	1,313	1,234	2,215	1 0	38,837 17 6
Ashburton	1,850	384	311	875	...	23,155 0 0
Timaru	4,500	850	650	990	1 0	45,240 0 0
Oamaru	6,000	1,200	800	1,350	1 6	49,495 0 0
Hawkesbury West	400	100	180	190	1 0	2,289 0 0
Palmerston South	900	200	236	378	1 0	5,910 5 0
Port Chalmers	1,800	320	415	390	1 0	13,600 0 0
North-East Valley	2,500	450	400	600	1 0	12,000 0 0
Dunedin	25,000	5,000	2,300	4,250	{ 0 3 }	271,365 0 0
Roslyn	1,570	280	297	328	1 0	9,514 10 0
Caversham*	3,425	619	...	...	...	19,484 13 0
Mornington	2,500	472	750	951	1 0	15,109 0 0
Maori Hill	1,000	240	264	300	1 0	10,527 0 0
St. Kilda	600	110	240	981	1 0	9,907 0 0
Dunedin South	2,550	425	520	750	1 0	14,057 0 0
West Harbour	950	250	391	504	1 0	7,470 0 0
Green Island	500	115	90	143	1 0	2,794 10 0
Balclutha	750	180	183	309	1 0	6,777 10 0
Milton	1,120	270	381	381	1 0	8,259 0 0
Lawrence	855	190	215	425	{ 0 6 }	11,490 0 0
Roxburgh	250	75	73	119	1 0	1,862 0 0
Tapanui	500	120	137	150	1 0	2,450 10 0
Naseby	600	161	160	179	1 0	4,238 0 0
Cromwell	350	106	122	253	{ 0 7 }	8,033 0 0
Alexandra	400	60	336	554	1 0	740 0 0
Arrowtown	400	130	92	253	1 0	3,747 1 0
Queenstown	700	350	350	738	1 0	7,302 12 0
Invercargill	4,045	909	884	1,683	2 0	47,518 0 0
Invercargill South	650	150	204	204	{ 1 0 }	105 0 0
Invercargill East	650	128	197	197	1 0	3,427 10 0
Invercargill North	400	100	169	620	1 9	2,987 0 0
Campbelltown	360	70	244	244	...	†
Avenal	400	65	72	101	1 6	1,685 10 0
Gladstone	300	40	48	48	{ 0 6 }	1,320 0 0
Winton	200	65	109	154	1 0	2,200 0 0
Riverton	1,150	260	210	470	1 6	5,584 0 0
Totals	179,775	36,782	...	...	...	1,677,165 16 5

* These particulars have been taken from the return of 1877, as they were not furnished for 1878.

† Valuation not yet complete, and no rate levied.

TABLE showing the Amount of Revenue and Expenditure of the several Boroughs in the Colony of New Zealand for the Municipal Financial Year ending 31st March, 1879; also the Assets and Liabilities at Date of Balancing, and Outstanding Loans.

Name of Borough.	Revenue from						Expenditure.						Outstanding Loans.										
	Government.		Rates.		Rents and Tolls.		Licenses.		Other Sources.		Total.		Assets at Date of Balancing.		Liabilities at Date of Balancing.*		Amount.		Rate of Interest per Annum.				
	\$	s.	d.	\$	s.	d.	\$	s.	d.	\$	s.	d.	\$	s.	d.	\$	s.	d.	\$	s.			
Auckland	2,904	18	0	15,932	8	10	3,443	4	9	5,796	1	7	13,345	16	8	41,422	9	10	37,689	11	0		
Parnell	547	19	1	832	4	10	...	156	2	9	1,418	8	...	1,049	8	6	2,968	5	5	28,003	15	8	
Onehunga	172	12	11	215	10	6	22	10	0	541	3	1	1,541	5	4	740	4	3	120	14	2		
Thames	3,419	15	3	2,206	18	2	115	0	0	2,332	18	2	2,991	12	4	10,166	3	11	6,732	4	1		
Gisborne	240	16	8	816	13	9	54	3	4	545	7	6	1,703	15	0	1,282	1	7	572	13	4		
Hamilton	804	12	9	431	18	3	...	203	13	0	913	14	8	2,353	18	8	1,472	17	3	705	13	5	
New Plymouth	2,793	2	9	1,324	14	7	114	10	0	607	12	6	4,839	19	10	2,185	12	7	660	8	8		
Wanganui	992	10	11	3,727	13	0	673	7	5	1,096	18	0	688	3	0	7,178	12	4	9,000	11	7		
Palmerston North	188	17	1	415	1	9	17	5	0	252	12	4	69	2	9	942	18	11	1,365	6	10		
Wellington	3,325	5	3	20,154	13	11	3,336	14	3	4,489	0	5	27,060	14	6	58,366	8	4	90,272	17	3		
Greytown	426	3	2	952	12	3	...	15	9	0	...	15	0	...	1,750	18	5	1,399	14	11	190	9	7
Masterton	2,286	12	4	3,958	7	10	391	16	0	1,471	3	0	134	7	10	8,242	1	0	9,381	0	8		
Napier	295	13	6	233	3	2	3	3	0	0	172	2	6	67	0	0	770	19	8	920	7	11	
Picton	545	1	10	738	10	2	705	11	2	336	14	6	65	1	0	2,390	17	8	1,935	13	8		
Blenheim	531	11	2	9,548	3	3	103	6	8	1,668	10	0	651	1	0	12,501	12	7	9,530	16	10		
Nelson	393	17	6	527	8	7	...	766	1	0	98	3	5	1,695	10	6	871	4	6	4,10	8	1	
Westport	859	16	1	2,964	18	6	73	0	0	1,453	14	0	29	16	10	4,481	5	5	771	11	0		
Greymouth	584	11	6	1,194	8	3	61	19	0	1,891	7	6	...	3,732	6	3	1,933	0	2	712	19	5	
Hokitika	961	17	0	134	19	6	...	399	10	0	45	10	0	1,541	16	6	6,666	7	3	512	8	6	
Ross	455	0	6	496	12	0	237	10	0	316	13	4	258	4	6	2,614	16	6	1,238	13	3		
Kumara	161	4	7	350	17	0	...	1,066	4	11	1,066	4	11	858	11	5	1,066	4	11	214	0	0	
Kaiapoi	83	13	3	244	7	6	326	11	4	302	8	6	867	0	9	445	5	5	232	11	4		
Christchurch	3,498	9	6	14,590	12	4	1,867	11	5	4,156	15	0	7,423	9	4	31,536	19	0	21,120	10	8		
Rangiora	...	...	...	220	19	3	1,741	17	0	358	8	0	26	0	11	2,347	5	2	486	4	5
Lyttelton	1,066	9	1	1,488	17	6	521	15	2	621	3	1	...	3,698	4	10	3,269	15	3	546	7	7	
Sydenham	467	13	5	1,914	11	6	35	7	3	466	19	7	2,337	17	0	5,222	8	9	4,214	13	10		
Ashburton	1,138	5	1	68	12	0	...	2	2	1,209	2	0	1,209	2	1	441	18	0	275	0	0		
Timaru	680	7	7	1,526	1	10	290	5	3	1,204	5	0	3,410	19	8	7,022	12	2	1,927	15	5		
Oamaru	2,083	3	0	3,06	15	9	1,368	8	9	1,365	19	7	1,401	3	8	19,839	19	9	1,344	8	4		
Hawkesbury West	66	18	11	98	15	6	106	0	0	102	1	6	...	373	15	11	201	6	5	78	15	9	
Palmerston South	239	18	7	212	13	6	269	12	6	131	12	0	994	12	0	581	0	8	225	5	5		
Port Chalmers	315	17	1	1,593	13	11	248	4	0	356	0	0	125	17	2	6,339	12	2	538	3	2		
North-East Valley	210	5	7	540	8	6	320	0	0	133	17	9	96	10	0	1,413	19	6	249	18	2		
Dunedin	8,289	5	1	15,553	5	7	8,532	7	2	5,839	6	10	43,772	12	3	82,006	16	11	31,140	19	2		

* In this column the amounts of outstanding loans have been included with the liabilities.

BOROUGHS.—(II.).
TABLE showing the Amount of Revenue and Expenditure of the several Boroughs in the Colony of New Zealand for the Municipal Financial Year ending 31st March, 1879; also the Assets and Liabilities at Date of Balancing, and Outstanding Loans—*continued.*

Name of Borough.	Revenue from						Expenditure.						Assets at Date of Balancing.			Liabilities at Date of Balancing.*			Outstanding Loans.																				
	Government.		Rates,		Rents and Tolls,		Licenses,		Other Sources,		Total.		Public Works,		Salaries, &c.		Other Expenditure.		Total.		Assets at Date of Balancing.		Liabilities at Date of Balancing.*			Outstanding Loans.													
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.									
Roslyn	222	2	4	495	13	7	70	2	10	168	10	0	896	8	9	713	0	4	19	11	0	115	13	10	848	5	2	333	2	1									
Caversham	60	0	0	1,977	16	1	25	0	0	162	15	0	1,916	15	11	2,686	1	5	157	12	6	564	11	3	3,410	7	2	2,864	0	1									
Mornington	286	9	11	635	10	5	29	4	9	122	10	0	1,130	4	1	761	19	6	266	12	8	390	10	8	1,419	2	10	226	8	4									
Maori Hill	48	3	3	153	10	10	...	56	6	8	...	258	0	9	70	7	5	20	6	9	390	15	8	391	9	10	...	...	...							
St. Kilda	193	4	8	443	1	0	...	127	11	2	...	763	16	10	680	11	3	160	8	0	167	13	8	1,068	12	11	548	16	11	283	19	4							
Dunedin South	501	12	9	...	690	1	4	118	2	6	146	12	0	1,456	8	7	2,080	9	2	197	18	6	457	9	6	2,735	17	2	256	11	2								
West Harbour	158	9	5	333	9	9	25	0	0	40	10	0	669	6	8	557	9	2	263	17	0	933	3	8	856	19	8	1,226	15	6									
Green Island	87	0	2	124	10	6	48	14	10	...	24	12	0	909	11	1	62	18	7	183	2	6	368	6	6	856	19	8	1,000	0	0								
Balclutha	222	2	1	341	14	6	315	11	6	345	5	9	74	9	0	1,138	14	11	838	17	6	1,540	13	9	2,019	6	11	333	4	1									
Milton	397	11	2	411	9	0	...	120	0	0	1,12	0	0	1,789	2	8	965	19	5	120	0	0	204	10	11	1,163	8	5	332	11	9								
Lawrence	367	10	9	588	1	3	382	13	8	449	5	0	...	371	1	1	486	6	6	197	3	6	555	16	10	433	18	7	7,550	12	10								
Roxburgh	38	7	4	123	13	9	...	209	0	0	160	12	0	...	308	2	8	190	2	6	92	16	11	1,718	19	9	398	0	1	267	11	5							
Tapanui	55	10	0	92	0	0	...	160	12	0	110	0	0	110	0	0	778	17	6	641	4	9	486	6	5	418	15	5	463	0	4						
Naseby	67	12	6	150	10	0	60	0	0	390	15	0	110	0	0	110	0	0	193	0	0	50	0	0	1,119	0	0	1,900	0	0	0	7 per cent.							
Cromwell	320	8	8	314	8	4	...	274	13	6	13	0	0	922	10	6	639	11	6	102	12	6	459	16	6	1,202	0	8	371	9	8	2,552	12	10					
Alexandra	256	10	10	32	10	7	...	30	12	6	...	319	13	11	78	13	6	...	319	13	11	126	12	8	260	8	2	208	9	2	...	...					
Arrowtown	228	18	1	200	18	2	...	179	10	6	...	609	6	9	396	9	2	126	12	8	339	12	4	862	14	2	371	6	9	364	12	8					
Queenstown	311	18	18	382	18	3	65	0	0	207	10	0	68	13	6	1,035	12	4	1,752	9	2	119	18	5	2,141	10	5	538	14	7	6,000	0	0	6 per cent.					
Invercargill	1,852	17	7	3,746	3	0	496	7	1	1,581	2	6	927	13	11	8,064	4	1	12,369	7	5	1,245	9	8	2,141	10	5	15,695	18	6	30,000	0	0	6,000					
Invercargill South	1,49	10	6	192	8	0	...	27	0	0	...	644	18	6	114	13	8	62	8	6	822	0	8	1,031	2	1	...	...	...	7 per cent.						
Invercargill East	1,32	8	8	181	15	6	...	81	15	0	2	4	0	398	3	2	604	14	3	231	12	1	836	6	4	1,361	11	3	1,831	3	7						
Invercargill North	84	10	1	252	4	6	...	54	7	6	...	561	13	5	6	10	6	...	228	4	10	796	8	9	611	2	2	250	0	0	...	...					
Campbelltown†	124	13	0	...	21	15	0	...	111	13	0	193	17	0	17	2	0	30	10	6	33	1	11	80	14	5	10	0	0	...						
Avenal	35	10	0	98	3	6	32	0	0	...	...	...	163	3	6	75	2	4	42	12	9	20	5	6	138	0	7	420	4	6	...	...					
Gladstone	33	0	0	150	12	0	...	80	0	0	8	10	0	294	15	3	112	8	3	37	11	7	261	19	10	54	0	5	630	0	0	0							
Winton	55	13	3	151	3	0	...	332	11	0	63	5	3	988	16	7	624	5	2	84	2	0	321	11	8	1,029	18	10	3,335	16	7	3,000	0	0	0				
Riverton	255	11	4	311	7	6	26	1	6	...	...	...	63	5	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	... 47,163	4	9,118,258	5	3	26,338	18	11	46,921	15	0	105,288	2	8	344,230	11	5	504,092	0	3	39,771	9	10	122,900	14	10	666,764	4	11	929,294	1	1	1,410,559	9	5	1,259,414	15	0	...

* In this column the amounts of outstanding loans have been included with the liabilities.

† Valuation not yet complete, and no rate levied.

Note.—The returns of revenue and expenditure in this table represent the net receipts and expenditure of credit and debit balances, bank overdrafts, loans, and deposits.

ROAD DISTRICTS.—(I.)

TABLE showing the Number of Dwellings, Number of Ratepayers, Number of Rateable Properties, Annual Value of Rateable Property, and Amount of Rate levied in the Pound, together with the Miles of Road Made, and in Progress of Formation, in the several Road Districts throughout the Colony of New Zealand, for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1879.

[Wherever an asterisk (*) occurs the information has not been supplied, and the figures have been copied from the returns for 1877-78. Wherever a dagger (†) occurs the Road Board has not yet been brought into operation.]

County and District.	Number of			Estimated Net Annual Value of Rateable Properties.	Amount of Rate levied in the Pound.	Miles of Road	
	Dwellings.	Rate-payers.	Rateable Properties.			Completed.	In Course of Formation.
Mongonui—							
Ahipara	40	160	164	1,675 16 9	1 0
Kaio*	40	97	97	1,633 2 0	1 0
Mongonui Township	25	60	149	355 13 0	1 0
Oruru	55	52	214	1,994 0 0	1 0
Totara	18	65	75	653 5 0	1 0
Whakapaku	20	26	45	633 0 0	1 0
Whangaroa North	41	56	56	889 3 6	1 0
Hobson—							
Matakohe	45	142	409	2,647 16 9	1 0
Okahu	41	231	235	1,929 5 0	1 0
Paparoa	50	128	132	1,267 2 3	1 0
Pukekaroro	24	113	113	788 0 0	1 0
Wairau	37	97	97	1,222 6 0	1 0
Whangarei—							
Hikurangi	8	59	56	246 10 0	1 0
Kaurihohore	33	43	43	645 10 0	0 9
Manaia	26	46	46	406 17 0	1 0
Mangapai	24	105	105	554 15 0	0 9
Maungakaramea	33	110	110	1,014 18 6	0 6
Maunu	40	79	84	940 0 0	1 0
Parua Bay	37	178	182	909 5 0	1 0
Ruarangi	15	29	84	426 15 0	0 9
Ruatangata	44	70	133	1,037 0 0	1 0
Waikiekie	17	257	257	1,169 12 8	1 0
Waipu Central	44	44	44	754 10 0	0 7
Waipu North	47	56	70	636 0 0	0 6
Waipu South	39	42	42	674 0 0	0 9
Whangarei	46	83	83	1,321 14 0	1 0
Whareora	13	63	63	547 0 0	1 0
Rodney—							
Albertland North	18	95	95	869 11 0	1 0
Albertland South	50	95	96	1,193 0 0	1 0
Arai	18	89	89	762 15 0	0 9
Kaukapakapa	52	152	160	1,353 2 0	1 0
Komokoriki	34	117	117	2,078 16 0	1 0
Mangawai	19	63	63	958 6 0	0 9
Mahurangi East	42	79	84	845 19 0	0 6
Mahurangi Lower	33	102	107	851 6 0	1 0
Mahurangi Upper*	92	113	180	2,983 5 0	1 0
Matakana East*	16	18	18	809 8 6	1 0
Matakana West	51	51	51	572 0 0	1 0
Omaha	31	94	147	518 6 7	1 0
Puhoi	45	107	187	503 0 0	1 0
Tauhoa	38	111	116	2,139 7 0	0 6
Wainui	70	57	152	909 17 0	1 0
Weiti†
Wharehine	21	41	41	566 19 6	1 0
Waitemata—							
Devonport	180	166	238	5,780 0 0	1 0
Lake	48	120	149	2,379 10 0	1 0
North Shore*	52	141	210	433 4 0	1 0
Pukeatua	51	151	160	1,146 10 0	1 0
Titirangi†
Waikomiti	34	101	148	750 0 0	1 0
Waitakerei East	26	100	119	1,156 19 5	1 0
Waitakerei South	10	85	...	845 8 0	...
Waitakerei West	72	66	73	744 10 0	1 0
Whangaparoa	16	29	31	253 16 1	1 0
Eden—							
Arch Hill	148	186	214	2,372 10 0	1 1
Eden Terrace	106	110	131	3,028 18 0	1 0
Epsom	77	88	95	4,863 0 0	0 6
Grafton	226	216	290	9,077 0 0	0 9
Karangahape	726	515	715	10,746 0 0	0 9
Mount Albert	90	97	107	2,935 0 0	1 0
Mount Eden	121	137	152	4,168 0 0	1 0
Mount Roskill	54	74	250	3,593 4 2	1 0
Mount Wellington	63	110	231	5,066 3 6	0 9
Newmarket	140	130	151	3,796 0 0	1 0
Newton-Richmond	40	84	90	3,288 10 0	1 0
One-Tree Hill	80	112	420	4,753 0 0	0 6
Panmure	84	85	120	559 0 0	0 9
Point Chevalier	25	30	30	1,445 2 0	0 6
Ponsonby	580	832	1,007	20,096 5 0	1 2 1 2

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TABLE showing the Number of Dwellings, Number of Ratepayers, Number of Rateable Properties, Annual Value of Rateable Property, and Amount of Rate levied in the Pound, together with the Miles of Road Made, and in Progress of Formation, in the several Road Districts throughout the Colony of New Zealand, for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1879—continued.

County and District.	Number of			Estimated Net Annual Value of Rateable Properties.	Amount of Rate levied in the Pound.	Miles of Road	
	Dwellings.	Rate- payers.	Rateable Properties.			Completed.	In Course of Forma- tion.
Eden—continued.							
Remuera	160	189	205	8,784 0 0 1 0 12 3½
West Tamaki	31	29	31	2,408 6 0 0 9 10½ ...
Whau	63	70	75	2,398 0 0 0 7 6 ...
Manukau—							
Awhitu	56	96	101	1,752 12 0 0 9 ... 20
Howick Township	70	85	85	400 1 6 1 0 4 1
Hunua*	100	235	235	1,995 10 0 0 10 1 13
Karaka	31	33	50	594 8 0 2 0 15 5
Mangere	128	111	118	9,136 16 6 0 6 22 1
Manurewa*	28	57	60	1,554 1 0 0 6 1¼ 12
Maraetai	10	25	26	592 19 0 1 0 2 8
Mauku	110	175	175	2,457 10 0 1 0 ... 60
Maungatawhiri	24	47	47	1,392 3 0 0 6 ... 8½
Mercer	34	37	45	892 0 0 0 9
Opaheke	73	119	130	1,273 5 0 1 0 1 20
Otahuhu	140	177	228	2,107 3 0 0 9 17 ...
Otapuka†
Pakuranga	52	55	67	2,594 5 6 0 6 13 15
Papakura	44	65	99	1,120 0 0 1 0 2 10
Paparata	77	105	117	1,034 4 0 1 0 ... 30
Paparoa	22	81	81	428 0 0 1 0 1 5
Papatoitoi	17	17	18	1,923 0 0 0 4 5 3½
Pokeno	76	82	95	1,120 15 0 1 0 16 5
Pollock Settlement	21	49	49	452 0 0 1 0 ... 15
Pukekohe East	106	143	143	2,370 7 6 1 0 ... 45
Pukekohe West	145	141	177	3,522 0 0 0 9 20 40
Tamaki East	94	106	142	4,485 15 6 1 0 14 14½
Turanga	40	85	83	1,372 5 0 1 0 23 2
Waipipi	130	156	156	3,840 0 0 0 9 ...
Wairoa	110	167	171	3,794 0 0 1 0 14 40
Waiuku	48	78	78	2,116 0 6 1 0 ...
Coromandel—							
Coromandel	307	452	452	9,604 1 10 1 0 6 10
Mercury Bay†
Tiki	31	41	...	1,287 18 6 0 6 5½ ½
Thames—							
Parawai	150	140	193	3,399 15 0 0 6 5 2
Piako—							
Matamata	11	7	9	5,779 16 0 0 4 ...
Taotaoroa*	38	38	38	4,199 0 0 0 7 ...
Waitoa	47	49	63	15,607 15 0 0 8 ... 55
Tauranga—							
Katikati	48	71	79	1,790 10 0 1 0 6 29
Tauranga	40	270	304	3,460 0 0 1 0 8 25
Tauranga North	250	251	423	9,703 0 0 1 0 2½ 4½
Te Puna	16	160	229	4,548 10 0 1 0 5 25
Whakatane—							
Opotiki	155	272	273	4,972 0 0 1 0 16 5
Whakatane	40	207	207	2,634 0 0 1 0 5 7
Cook—							
Ormond	94	94	...	4,669 0 0 0 6 ...
Poverty Bay	83	90	139	12,277 0 0 0 2½ ... 10
Turanganui	40	40	41	4,770 0 0 1 0 ...
Waikohu*	25	24	22	4,956 11 6 1 0 ... 8
Waipa—							
Alexandra	59	543	553	755 12 0 1 0 1 ...
Hamilton	30	89	89	6,646 0 0 0 8 10 20
Kihikihi, Town of	32	164	164	1,056 0 0 0 9 5 3
Mangapiko	72	126	126	6,672 15 0 0 9 ... 57
Newcastle	50	159	159	3,837 7 6 1 0 ... 40
Ngaruawahia, Town of	75	170	224	2,408 0 0 1 0 ...
Puketkura	77	350	980	7,906 2 6 0 9 8 ...
Rangiawhia	125	181	181	8,708 0 0 0 9 41 5
Tuhikaramea	17	56	56	2,843 5 0 1 0 ... 17½
Waikato—							
Cambridge	77	...	71	9,809 10 0 0 8 13 37
Cambridge Town	190	281	357	6,227 0 0 0 9 ...
Kirikiriroa	90	215	397	13,580 9 0 0 9 39 5
Tamahere	29	29	29	4,994 4 11 0 9 ... 30
Raglan—							
Karioi	35	118	185	1,192 15 0 1 0 ... 60
Pirongia*	20	94	94	1,138 5 0 1 0 30 16
Raglan, Town of	31	82	285	602 11 6 1 0 ...
Whaingaroa	27	50	90	781 11 9 1 0 ... 30

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County and District.	Number of			Estimated Net Annual Value of Rateable Properties.	Amount of Rate levied in the Pound.	Miles of Road	
	Dwellings.	Ratepayers.	Rateable Properties.			Completed.	In Course of formation.
Taranaki—							
Barrett	37	72	209	1,538 10 0	1 0
Carrington	19	26	33	1,040 10 0	1 6
Clifton	18	25	30	1,660 0 0	1 0
Egmont	86	122	239	3,582 10 0	1 0
Elliott	11	20	30	588 0 0	1 0
Frankley	30	48	54	1,214 0 0	1
Henui	63	71	71	1,143 15 0	1 0
Hurford (Upper)	5	22	22	219 17 0	3
Inglewood	94	132	143	1,529 5 0	1 6
Mangorei	27	42	52	1,501 7 0	1 4
Moa	113	307	355	3,357 19 6	8 2
Oakura	41	77	77	1,920 0 0	1 0
Okato	44	60	72	1,960 12 0	28
Omata	26	51	55	1,386 0 0	1 7
Raleigh	80	128	457	2,537 14 0	5
Tataraimaka	25	42	42	1,280 10 0	1 0
Waitara East	45	60	60	2,717 16 0	1 2
Waitara West	161	161	500	4,601 2 2	28 4
Waiwakaiho	46	60	99	1,192 10 6	70
Patea—							
Carlyle, Town of	107	150	372	3,139 19 0	0 9
Hawera	95	145	...	4,130 0 0	0 9
Patea East	36	47	54	3,931 13 0	1 0
Patea West	120	444	497	12,033 19 0	26
Wairoa	180	200	210	8,551 11 9	1 2
Wanganui—							
Wangaehu	280	264	281	24,466 0 0	62
Wanganui-Waitotara*	320	400	400	24,807 18 0	35 4 1 4
Rangitikei—							
Bull's Local Board	120	129	203	5,686 0 0	4
Lethbridge Local Board	62	54	75	2,862 17 6	3
Marton Local Board	200	167	251	6,994 0 0	2 1
Rangitikei	326	388	479	46,573 0 0	90
Manawatu—							
Foxton Local Board	128	125	428	6,549 0 0	...
Manawatu	475	1,500	2,556	32,506 0 0	...
Manchester	450	602	1,241	21,732 10 0	7 22
Hutt—							
Hutt Local Board	113	131	151	5,040 0 0	...
Johnsonville Local Board	37	40	52	1,320 0 0	7 5
Kaiwara Local Board	60	36	45	1,686 0 0	...
Karori-Makara	340	386	700	16,533 13 4	3 3
Wellington*	800	1,080	35,172 18 0	31
Wairarapa West—							
Carterton Local Board*	66	88	88	2,380 10 0	...
Featherston	270	284	31,432 0 0	58 1 34
Featherston Local Board	105	283	283	4,994 6 3	14
Greytown Local Board	180	190	267	5,735 3 11	3 3
Masterton	520	570	640	28,848 0 0	72 23
Taratahi-Carterton	415	301	339	13,230 0 0	86 8
Wairarapa East—							
Castlepoint	85	76	83	16,559 0 0	3 1 141
Waipawa—							
Danevirk	33	54	54	3,260 0 0	...
Norsewood	150	135	141	1,350 0 0	8 7
Oero	20	16	17	9,010 10 0	...
Ormondville	50	44	50	738 0 0	35 4 1
Patangata	110	136	200	7,974 0 0	3 20
Ruataniwha	57	57	67	7,183 0 0	8 6
Ruataniwha North*	65	102	383	9,747 7 10	56
Tamuimu	23	18	18	13,453 14 0	...
Waipawa—							
Waipawa*	103	86	141	4,953 15 0	3
Waipukurau	80	82	92	15,583 5 0	28 1 4
Woodville*	52	117	264	2,253 4 0	...
Hawke's Bay—							
Clive	129	123	165	7,252 5 0	...
Havelock†
Heretaunga	83	110	276	25,018 12 0	...
Kerere and Aorangi	15	13	20	9,065 0 0	9 4 1
Maraeakaho	7	7	7	5,150 0 0	15 25
Meanee*	152	162	189	7,115 15 0	...
Okawa	39	16	16	11,990 0 0	5 53
Papakura	14	21	28	4,231 0 0	...
Petane	32	32	32	5,469 8 1	3 6
Puketapu	26	22	23	6,715 0 0	8 6

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TABLE showing the Number of Dwellings, Number of Ratepayers, Number of Rateable Properties, Annual Value of Rateable Property, and Amount of Rate levied in the Pound, together with the Miles of Road Made, and in Progress of Formation, in the several Road Districts throughout the Colony of New Zealand, for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1879—continued.

County and District.	Number of			Estimated Net Annual Value of Rateable Properties.	Amount of Rate levied in the Pound.	Miles of Road	
	Dwellings.	Rate-payers.	Rateable Properties.			Completed.	In Course of Formation.
Hawke's Bay— <i>continued.</i>				£ s. d.	s. d.		
Redcliffe	5	6	875 5 0	0 3	2
Te Mata	31	20	9,690 0 0	0 3	1
Marlborough—							
Awatea	76	26	52	2 0	12
Havelock Town	71	102	198	2,000 10 0	2 1
Omaka	121	212	242	8,074 0 0	1 0
Pelorus	125	172	209	5,526 10 0	1 0
Picton	131	140	150	3,520 5 0	1 0
Spring Creek	104	142	162	6,050 0 0	1 0
Wairau	140	107	164	13,186 0 0	1 0
Kaikoura—							
Kaikoura	148	166	166	14,852 0 0	0 9
Waimea—							
Motueka	414	497	528	12,971 18 9	1 0
Motueka Upper	73	95	104	3,027 0 0	0 9
Suburban North	84	84	84	3,630 0 0	0 9
Waimea	650	613	835	27,658 10 0	1 0
Collingwood—							
Collingwood	202	702	3,498 6 0	1 0
Takaka	133	192	192	4,649 10 6	1 0
Buller—							
Lyell Local Board (county road)
Inangahua—							
Inangahua Local Board (county road)
Grey—							
Cobden Local Board (county road)
Westland—							
Arahura	1,650	572	612	7,143 0 0	1 0
Kanieri	500	520	536	5,879 0 0	1 0
Okarito*	220	401	216	2,629 19 8	1 0
Totara*	508	486	508	7,443 0 0	...
Amuri and Cheviot—							
Amuri	94	87	87	38,830 0 0	0 6
Ashley—							
Ashley	111	145	165	9,440 7 7	0 9
Cust	130	123	123	5,270 3 0	0 6
Eyreton	259	239	719	23,841 5 0	0 6
Eyreton West	61	59	63	4,917 10 0	0 6
Kowai	441	433	615	20,654 1 6	0 9
Mandeville and Rangiora	362	362	1,094	23,547 19 0	0 6
Oxford	319	409	416	10,500 0 0	0 6
Waipara*	100	127	127	28,588 3 10	0 6
Akaroa—							
Akaroa and Wainui	306	256	280	13,085 11 4	0 9
Little River	250	192	192	18,712 7 9	0 6
Okain's Bay	168	158	160	5,138 5 0	0 6
Pigeon Bay	74	44	369	5,089 11 6	0 6
Port Levy	27	27	28	5,000 16 0	0 6
Port Victoria	61	61	61	3,059 0 0	0 6
Selwyn—							
Avon	1,400	1,550	1,593	43,326 0 0	...
Courtenay	313	366	406	28,930 17 0	0 6
Ellesmere	600	520	539	54,066 6 1	0 6
Halswell	69	69	69	5,333 0 0	1 0
Heathcote	950	820	1,642	49,160 0 0	1 0
Lake Coleridge	40	38	400	8,274 13 11	...
Lincoln	310	219	250	15,048 10 0	0 6
Malvern	144	144	144	5,433 0 0	0 6
Malvern East	115	156	267	4,453 8 6	0 6
Malvern South	65	158	355	3,324 16 7	0 6
Rakaia	105	184	189	9,635 5 0	0 6
Riccarton	362	529	667	34,207 0 0	0 6
Spreydon	178	207	248	16,033 0 0	0 9
Springs	295	346	346	19,337 15 0	0 4
Templeton	134	147	147	9,266 0 0	0 7
Upper Waimakariri	26	15	15	1,514 1 0	...
Ashburton—							
Ashburton, Upper	310	478	478	22,536 12 6	0 6
Ashburton, Lower*	608	...	60,000 0 0	1 0
Mount Somers	158	221	234	36,700 0 0	0 6
South Rakaia	461	381	416	65,473 0 0	...
Geraldine—							
Geraldine	410	473	2,000	23,612 19 0	1 0
Levels	729	2,058	71,200 16 0	0 8
Mount Cook	67	163	205	17,493 9 6	...
Mount Peel	51	81	...	15,444 19 0	0 6
Temuka	456	836	...	30,612 15 0	0 6

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TABLE showing the Number of Dwellings, Number of Ratepayers, Number of Rateable Properties, Annual Value of Rateable Property, and Amount of Rate levied in the Pound, together with the Miles of Road Made, and in Progress of Formation, in the several Road Districts throughout the Colony of New Zealand, for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1879—continued.

County and District.	Number of			Estimated Net Annual Value of Rateable Properties.	Amount of Rate levied in the Pound.	Miles of Road	
	Dwellings.	Rate-payers.	Rateable Properties.			Completed.	In Course of Formation.
Waitaki—							
Awamoko†
Hampden	156	166	287	8,654 11 6	0 9
Kakanui	130	150	164	31,164 12 0	1 0
Otepopo	335	332	332	15,071 10 0	1 0
Waureka	150	170	164	37,992 0 0	1 0
Waitaki	226	219	260	38,111 15 0	0 6
Waikouaiti—							
Blueskin	350	410	508	8,010 10 0	1 0
Dunback	24	17	24	2,444 4 0	0 9
Hawkesbury	214	202	220	10,951 0 0	1 0
North-East Valley*	200	250	300	4,000 0 0	1 0
Palmerston	156	184	172	14,587 4 6	0 6
Waikouaiti	150	165	165	4,010 0 0	1 0
Waihemo	15	31	50	1,223 1 0	...
Peninsula—							
Peninsula*	295	331	331	10,808 15 0	1 0
Portobello	178	315	370	8,291 12 6	1 0
Taieri—							
Grey	139	139	150	4,260 18 0	0 9
Halfway Bush*	300	304	311	...	...
Kaikorai	122	126	147	6,532 4 0	1 0
Kuri Bush	76	67	67	3,064 0 0	1 0
Outram	156	103	156	14,736 3 6	1 0
Seaside	69	67	67	3,020 10 0	1 0
Suburban	84	93	97	3,862 10 0	1 0
Taieri	180	237	237	10,841 10 0	0 6
Taieri East†
Taieri North	145	114	114	8,886 0 0	1 0
Taieri West*	2,602 0 0	...
Waipori	141	156	170	6,523 0 0	1 0
Bruce—							
Balmoral	63	59	61	10,310 10 0	1 0
Crichton	53	50	48	3,725 5 0	1 0
Glenledi	30	43	43	2,354 10 0	1 0
Mount Stuart	112	116	120	6,740 10 0	1 0
Kaitangata	102	102	102	4,139 0 0	1 0
Tokomairiro	199	240	261	11,049 0 0	1 0
Waihola	109	199	199	5,051 11 0	1 0
Clutha—							
Clinton	121	153	163	7,223 0 0	1 0
Clutha	130	110	100	5,708 0 0	1 0
Clydevale	12	11	11	7,758 9 0	1 0
Matau (part in Bruce)	71	114	114	4,096 10 0	1 0
Pomahaka	55	50	50	8,726 0 0	0 6
South Molyneux	178	194	204	7,186 6 0	0 9
Tuapeka—							
Tuapeka†
Waitahuna	231	272	273	4,768 3 0	1 0
Southland and Wallace—							
Aparima	450	461	504	26,092 3 0	0 9
Invercargill	280	400	560	8,276 0 0	1 0
Knapdale	496	204	204	...	1 0
Lyndhurst	198	198	11,561 6 0	1 0
Makarewa	435	599	685	26,497 0 0	1 0
Oreti	220	244	500	28,650 1 7	0 9
Otaraiat†
Oteramika	125	141	141	11,308 0 0	1 0
Tuturau	134	150	153	8,898 0 0	1 0
Waikaiat†	7 32
Toitois	51	53	58	7,322 11 6	0 3
Totals	38,667	51,459	67,931	2,455,557 2 7	...
						4,866 1 2	6,126 1 4

RIVER PROTECTIVE BOARDS.

Inch Clutha (River and Road) ...	52	67	57	1,926 0 0	0 3	...	...
Kaikoura—Kaikoura ...	43	43	43	1,985 10 0	1 0	...	...
Mandeville and Rangiora—Ashley ...	122	122	221	7,990 1 6	1 0	...	...
Rakaia North—Selwyn ...	...	467	...	36,290 16 8	0 6	...	...
Orari—Geraldine ...	1	43	43	5,537 0 0	0 9	...	...
Spring Creek—Marlborough ...	104	142	162	6,050 0 0	0 6	...	...
West Taieri ...	126	116	116	9,335 10 0	1 0	...	...
Waiohine—Wairarapa West ...	...	...	...	7,188 18 11	1 0	...	...
Wairau—Marlborough ...	228	...	304	16,896 0 0	0 9
Waimakariri South (no return)
Totals ...	676	1,000	946	93,169 17 1

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TABLE showing the Amount of Revenue and Expenditure of the various Road Districts throughout the Colony of New Zealand, for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1879*; also the Assets and Liabilities at Date of Balancing.

Note.—The returns of revenue and expenditure in this table represent the net receipts and expenditure of the year, exclusive of credit and debit balances, bank overdrafts, loans, and deposits.

County and District,	Revenue from					Expenditure.					Liabilities at Date of Balancing. [†]				
	Government.		Rates.		Other Sources. [‡]	Total.		Public Works.		Salaries, &c.	Other Expenditure.				
	£	s.	£	s.	£	£	s.	d.	£	s.	£	£	s.		
Mongonui—															
Ahipara	582	5	54	15	2	644	10	11	185	4	2	209	19		
Kaio	60	8	64	12	4	810	18	2	144	2	6	718	5		
Mongonui Township	193	3	5	5	9	198	8	9	48	13	0	151	9		
Oruru (late Mongonui)	423	0	61	10	0	488	5	11	234	0	1	53	15		
Totara	220	12	11	18	15	245	8	7	147	7	0	242	18		
Whakapaku	233	9	11	28	2	261	12	5	87	15	0	7	13		
Whangaroa North	378	17	2	38	16	417	13	6	191	12	1	110	0		
Hobson—															
Matakohe	50	12	3	120	5	0	658	11	1	829	8	4	438	5	
Okahu	79	3	8	107	11	2	303	18	9	490	13	7	198	3	
Paparoa	464	0	80	6	9	0	17	6	545	4	3	542	8		
Pukekaroro	102	15	4	28	5	0	220	0	0	351	0	4	125	14	
Wairau	78	2	6	79	3	3	395	0	0	552	5	9	92	0	
Whangarei—															
Hikurangi	5	16	9	15	11	9	3	10	0	24	18	6	499	16	
Kaurihoore	36	1	7	25	10	5	0	61	12	0	307	12	7	11	
Manaiia	20	4	11	22	6	1	0	42	11	0	39	7	4	15	
Mangapai	9	2	4	4	11	3	32	5	6	45	19	1	15	13	
Maungakaramea	18	16	0	11	7	11	0	30	3	11	28	19	3	13	
Mauna	25	0	6	33	0	0	8	0	0	66	0	6	33	19	
Parua Bay	282	17	5	33	14	3	49	10	0	366	1	8	73	8	
Ruarangi	10	16	3	13	13	11	3	2	0	27	12	2	318	10	
Ruatangata	39	11	0	49	1	11	0	88	12	11	96	17	6	48	15
Waikiekie	13	1	2	11	9	6	3	13	0	28	3	8	0	9	
Waipu Central	21	8	10	16	1	5	25	0	0	62	10	3	0	0	
Waipu North	28	18	8	18	3	0	0	47	1	8	48	2	3	...	
Waipu South	300	0	0	23	11	0	0	323	11	0	14	0	0	...	
Whangarei	62	16	0	41	12	9	5	16	3	110	5	0	54	12	
Whareora	27	7	0	9	9	6	9	10	0	46	6	6	37	16	
Rodney—															
Albertland North	37	13	4	30	11	8	200	12	0	268	17	0	100	14	
Albertland South	77	17	0	39	4	9	229	8	0	346	9	9	280	6	
Arai	165	4	4	24	5	10	177	10	0	367	0	2	466	2	
Kaukapakapa	30	4	0	44	3	3	56	4	1	130	11	4	275	15	
Komokoriki	9	1	0	41	17	6	124	0	0	174	18	6	10	0	
Mangawai	638	3	4	33	6	1	0	675	9	5	250	17	5	90	15
Mahurangi East	18	18	0	19	12	0	0	76	8	3	418	0	8	12	

Rodney—continued.

Mahurangi Lower	43	10	7	32	8	10	132	3	8	268	3	1	38	5	0	5	240	3	5	229	6	8					
Mahurangi Upper	122	0	2	136	11	3	140	0	0	398	11	5	373	18	5	17	10	0	391	8	5	173	3	1			
Matahuna East	30	7	9	34	17	9	50	0	0	115	5	6	30	12	0	7	0	0	315	0	0	41	7	7			
Matahuna West	27	9	7	28	12	0	50	0	0	106	1	7	75	15	0	2	0	0	84	9	0	41	13	10			
Omaha	202	5	8	27	6	0	90	0	0	319	11	8	47	18	0	11	13	6	59	11	6	280	13	9			
Puhoi	68	8	1	18	12	4	143	6	8	230	7	1	48	13	11	12	15	0	71	1	5	158	2	6			
Tauhoa	63	3	8	33	10	8	330	0	0	426	14	4	140	10	6	3	0	0	144	13	1	355	14	8			
Wainui	41	14	2	24	9	3	181	8	10	247	12	3	132	14	0	10	18	7	143	12	7	108	7	0			
Weiti	15	19	0	27	10	3	111	17	6	155	6	9	105	1	10	...	...	...	8	18	2	114	0	0
Wharehine	54	4	5	
Waitemata—
Devonport	270	19	0	288	17	0	310	14	0	870	10	0	825	8	3	56	14	4	28	19	8	911	2	3	36	10	6
Lake	49	10	8	81	11	10	109	10	8	240	13	2	174	10	0	20	4	0	6	0	6	200	14	6	73	3	11
North Shore
Pukeatua	31	0	1	14	2	3	35	7	2	79	9	6	28	16	4	2	0	0	30	16	4	77	2	0
Titirangi	26	0	6	34	15	8	26	0	6	86	16	8	66	0	0	9	6	11	75	6	11	26	6	0
Waikomiti	72	16	1	47	1	1	43	13	6	163	10	8	168	10	1	12	10	0	19	11	11	140	12	0	34	14	4
Waitakerei East	51	4	4	71	3	0	13	8	6	135	15	10	80	1	4	6	10	0	20	14	7	107	5	11	39	18	6
Waitakerei South	35	9	0	36	19	3	40	18	4	113	6	7	61	15	4	8	18	3	12	0	0	82	13	7	56	18	7
Waitakerei West	2	14	9	15	10	8	3	2	3	21	7	8	2	11	0	2	8	6	3	6	8	8	6	2	27	3	9
Whangaparaoa
Eden—
Arch Hill	232	3	3	109	8	0	341	11	3	213	7	5	27	16	5	40	9	0	281	12	10	120	0	0
Eden Terrace	220	14	3	148	5	7	16	0	0	368	19	10	368	19	10	368	19	10	153	4	10
Epsom	375	13	8	119	4	0	510	17	8	518	19	5	39	15	9	85	15	0	558	15	2	125	0	0			
Karangahape	734	13	11	313	14	2	9	12	0	1,058	0	1	901	2	5	61	6	1	1,138	3	6	248	1	10			
Mount Albert	522	7	0	141	13	0	41	10	0	705	10	0	551	19	1	1,409	2	2	1,392	2	6	414	1	6			
Mount Eden	392	7	11	196	5	4	571	16	3	1,160	9	6	821	9	2	35	7	0	61	14	10	918	11	0			
Mount Roskill	348	17	6	172	11	10	2	7	6	523	16	10	239	18	0	14	7	9	8	10	2	262	15	11			
Mount Wellington	463	14	5	189	19	8	34	16	5	588	16	6	472	19	2	8	7	9	30	10	0	511	13	11			
Newmarket	167	0	11	179	14	2	12	0	0	358	15	1	481	6	8	51	6	2	24	4	8	556	17	6			
Newton-Richmond	215	18	9	78	15	0	...	...	...	294	13	9	219	1	5	48	9	4	19	7	6	286	18	3
One-Tree Hill	452	11	0	116	11	0	...	...	...	569	2	0	617	0	3	25	5	9	10	7	1	652	13	1
Panmure	52	16	0	20	19	3	...	...	...	73	13	3	57	6	4	2	10	0	65	6	4	448	18	8
Point Chevalier	43	10	0	53	10	6	83	2	2	180	2	8	136	0	1	2	2	0	2	17	0	140	19	1			
Ponsonby	799	0	5	761	6	5	1,095	6	11	2,615	13	9	3,087	8	3	243	8	9	20	0	0	3,350	17	0			
Remuera	990	0	9	427	11	3	100	7	6	1,517	19	6	1,149	5	9	145	13	11	268	19	6	1,563	19	2			
West Tamaki	83	14	11	90	6	0	...	...	...	174	0	11	25	19	6	...	...	...	2	7	6	28	7	0
Whau	231	1	9	84	10	6	...	...	...	315	12	3	280	0	0	3	3	0	19	12	6	302	15	6
Manukau—	
Awhitu	252	14	11	124	3	2	0	10	0	377	8	1	334	3	3	22	7	10	29	14	1	386	5	2			
Howick Township	41	13	1	21	6	10	...	...	...	62	19	11	56	17	6	...	...	...	9	0	0	65	17	6
Hunua	
Karaka	128	15	3	41	8	9	170	4	0	70	14	6	2	0	1	3	5	10	76	0	5	191	19	5
Mangere	271	16	11	173	11	8	291	2	6	736	11	1	689	2	0	55	0	0	29	14	10	773	16	10			
Manurewa	196	3	1	34	10	9	...	...	...	230	13	10	168	13	5	12	10	0	7	4	7	188	8	0
Maratua	217	14	10	33	10	0	...	...	...	251	4	10	178	15	6	4	3	6	187	15	2	194	15	2
Mauku	120	0	0	67	9	6	...	...	...	187	9	6	179	14	6	10	0	0	101	14	6	25	2	10
Maungatawhiri	173	2	2	32	1	7	205	3	9	142	0	4	8	19	0	2	17	2	108	12	8			
Mercer	37	4	2	32	5	11	1	0	1	70	10	2	42	5	4	4	0	1	24	8	1	35	18	1			

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TABLE showing the Amount of Revenue and Expenditure of the various Road Districts throughout the Colony of New Zealand, for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1879*; also the Assets and Liabilities at Date of Balancing—continued.

County and District.	Revenue from					Expenditure.					Assets at Date of Balancing,		Liabilities at Date of Balancing;‡					
	Government.	Rates.	Other Sources.†	Total.	Public Works.	Salaries, &c.	Other Expenditure.	Total.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Rangitikei—continued.																		
Marton Local Board...	..	2,063	15	3	2,270	5	0	3,655	2	2	942	18	2	698	5	2		
Rangitikei	5,889	8	9	5,920	1	5	307	10	0	
Manawatu—																		
Foxton Local Board...	..	250	1	0	227	11	9	47	8	0	525	0	9	12	9	6		
Manawatu	1,450	7	11	1,395	2	8	625	1	0	3,380	11	7	2,496	1	1	
Manchester	1,670	10	8	1,066	15	3	7	15	5	2,745	1	4	3,202	14	2
Hulf—																		
Hulf Local Board...	..	240	2	0	262	19	0	..	503	1	0	372	2	1	56	2	8	
Johnsonville Local Board	..	59	1	6	60	5	6	..	119	7	0	60	8	10	20	13	11	
Kaiwha Local Board	..	77	1	0	84	6	0	3	18	9	..	62	4	9	39	18	2	
Karori-Makara	389	1	2	540	8	1	227	4	3	1,156	13	6	1,123	14	1	
Wellington	1,709	8	0	1,838	13	0	35	0	0	3,583	1	0	1,926	8	6	
Wairarapa West—																		
Canterton Local Board	..	119	0	4	119	0	4	14	4	8	252	5	4	273	5	4		
Featherston	..	2,290	5	0	1,773	19	0	1,290	18	4	5,355	2	4	5,443	9	1		
Featherston Local Board	..	193	9	0	171	4	9	102	11	3	467	5	0	422	12	6		
Greytown Local Board (a)	72	5	0	311	8	10	113	3	1	496	16	11	72	16	3	
Masterton	1,114	10	2	1,389	0	10	2,123	3	3	4,626	14	3	4,868	8	11	
Tararua-Carterton	493	18	0	517	18	3	1,233	4	10	2,245	1	1	1,269	16	3	
Wairarapa East—																		
Castlepoint	605	9	0	787	1	3	523	17	11	1,916	8	2	1,783	16	2	
Waipawa—																		
Danenvik	49	18	10	..	..	..	42	18	10	..	..	..
Norsewood	6	10	0	..	..	..	6	10	0	31	10	0	31	10	0	
Oero	177	6	6	519	14	0	..	..	..	697	0	6	178	4	6	
Ormondville	28	7	6	3	11	0	..	..	..	31	18	6	49	2	0	
Patangata	426	8	4	109	2	11	2	0	..	537	11	3	184	15	6	
Tuataniwha	124	14	4	116	11	4	..	..	241	5	8	153	15	4	
Ruataniwha North	135	0	4	84	0	2	..	..	..	219	0	2	144	17	5	
Tamumu	904	9	10	160	1	0	..	..	..	1,064	10	10	1,122	13	0	
Waipawa	938	7	5	931	0	6	
Waipukurau	550	16	0	387	11	5	..	..	..	35	0	0	30	0	0	
Hawke's Bay—																		
Clive	165	0	4	178	16	1	57	13	9	401	10	2	354	1	5	
Havelock	44	0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	95	19	1	95	7	3	
Heretaunga	327	13	0	205	6	11	16	11	6	361	10	6	98	18	0	
Kereru and Aorangi	114	11	3	113	6	3	..	..	..	227	17	6	4	19	2	
Maraeakakaho	59	7	6	64	7	6	..	..	123	15	0	152	6	8	
Meaneo	599	10	0	..	..	..	..	..	911	11	0	869	11	1	
Okawa	312	1	0	..	..	..	5	5	0	..	..	..

(a) This return is to the 1st December, 1878, from which date the local Road District of Greytown was incorporated a borough.

TABLE showing the Amount of Revenue and Expenditure of the various Road Districts throughout the Colony of New Zealand, for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1879*; also the Assets and Liabilities at Date of Balancing—*continued.*

Revenue from										Expenditure.										Assets at Date of Balancing.					Liabilities at Date of Balancing. [‡]				
County and District.					Government.					Public Works.					Salaries, &c.					Other Expenditure.					Assets at Date of Balancing.				
£	s.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	£	s.	£	s.	£	s.	£	s.										
Akaroa—continued.																													
Port Levy	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£499	8	6	£749	7	10	£76	2	8	£2,174	7	0	£63	3	0	£5,904	13	11	£6,974	4	2	£2,523	19	3	
Port Victoria	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£6,595	2	9	£1,136	13	2	£1,258	15	2	£8,433	15	2	£10,158	1	0	£261	7	1	£10,744	17	10	£22,161	17	0	
Selwyn—					£4,775	17	6	£1,430	12	10	£258	13	7	£6,998	19	3	£6,737	3	5	£227	10	8	£7,167	6	4	£20,735	15	5	
Avon	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£3,469	14	6	£2,055	18	6	£259	2	10	£5,784	16	0	£3,704	15	0	£115	0	0	£3,819	15	0	£2,253	16	10	
Courtenay	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£4,337	13	5	£2,156	13	6	£1,250	6	7	£5,587	16	3	£3,419	11	0	£150	0	0	£208	18	1	£3,777	10	4	
Ellersmere	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£2,828	15	3	£1,104	2	110	£110	18	2	£4,09	16	5	£2,945	9	11	£4,752	3	5	£251	18	8	£3,272	16	6	
Hawkes Bay	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£2,240	17	2	£1,715	15	2	£442	19	10	£2,701	12	2	£3,430	14	2	£118	10	0	£364	7	9	£8,636	8	3	
Lake Coleridge	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£2,648	18	7	£6,640	1	9	£227	7	10	£4,60	9	4	£3,704	15	0	£75	0	0	£28	12	4	£9,75	16	5	
Lincoln	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£2,255	19	5	£3,104	3	3	£630	7	5	£2,893	16	10	£3,570	18	1	£255	2	8	£77	8	9	£3,903	9	6	
Makarora	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£3,887	2	1	£300	13	4	£1,351	14	8	£5,539	10	1	£1,922	5	8	£180	7	8	£2,593	18	4	£4,696	11	8	
Malvern East	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£1,620	5	4	£270	15	0	£269	10	5	£2,160	10	9	£1,759	10	0	£250	5	3	£454	2	11	£16,432	18	7	
Malvern South	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£1,302	10	3	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£302	15	3	£1,605	5	6	£801	14	11	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£188	3	7	£2,085	3	7	
Balkia	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£13,029	8	0	£1,660	15	8	£41	2	5	£3,299	18	3	£13,400	8	8	£5,268	17	3	£212	10	0	£282	12	11	
Riccarton	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£17,397	13	0	£309	5	9	£1,246	10	8	£309	17	0	£14,014	4	10	£16,327	19	5	£325	0	0	£520	2	2	
Spreydon	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£1,104	3	3	£704	6	7	£742	17	9	£3,551	7	7	£1,922	5	8	£180	7	8	£538	15	11	£2,754	17	6	
Spring	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£1,705	2	6	£1,803	10	11	£2,166	0	0	£14,707	1	11	£5,542	9	2	£173	15	0	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£5,716	4	2	
Templeton	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£1,302	10	3	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£1,605	5	6	£801	14	11	£1,759	10	0	£13,135	1	6	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	£13,135	1	6	
Upper Waimakariri—Ashburton—	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Ashburton Upper	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Ashburton Lower	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Mount Somers	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
South Rakaia	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Geraldine—	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Geraldine	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Levels	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Mount Cook	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Mount Peel	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Temuka	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Waitaki—	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Awamoko	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Hampden	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Kakanui	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Otēpopo	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Waikaka	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Waitaki	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Waikouaiti—	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Blueskin	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹	... ¹																						
Dunback	... ¹	... ¹	...<																										

ROAD DISTRICTS.—(II.)

TABLE showing the Amount of Revenue and Expenditure of the various Road Districts throughout the Colony of New Zealand, for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1879*; also the Assets and Liabilities at Date of Balancing—*continued.*

RIVER PROTECTIVE BOARDS.

County and District.	Revenue from				Expenditure.				Assets at Date of Balancing.		Liabilities at Date of Balancing.†		
	Government.	Rates.	Other Sources.‡	Total.	Public Works.	Salaries, &c.	Other Expenditure.	Total.					
Inch Clutha (River and Road)	£ 2,500	0	£ 37	3 s. d. 6	£ 2,537	3 s. d. 6	£ 623	19 s. d. 0	£ 34	15 s. d. 6	£ 717	15 s. d. 6	
Kaikoura—Kaikoura	... 70	14	0	£ 97	15 s. d. 7	£ 168	9 s. d. 7	£ 68	10 s. d. 10	£ 90	10 s. d. 6		
Mandeville and Rangiora—Ashley	... 373	16	3	£ 399	10 s. d. 7	£ 773	6 s. d. 10	£ 408	14 s. d. 1	£ 444	17 s. d. 6		
Orari—Geraldine	... 119	0	0	£ 168	9 s. d. 4	£ 287	9 s. d. 4	£ 321	1 s. d. 9	£ 409	1 s. d. 9		
Rakata North—Selwyn	... 809	2	0	£ 986	16 s. d. 10	£ 1,000	0 s. d. 0	£ 2,795	18 s. d. 10	£ 6,981	18 s. d. 9		
Spring Creek—Marlborough	... 93	3	10	£ 67	10 s. d. 3	£ 300	0 s. d. 0	£ 190	14 s. d. 1	£ 20	0 s. d. 0		
West Taieri—Taieri	... 902	8	1	£ 782	6 s. d. 6	£ 1,884	14 s. d. 7	£ 4,267	17 s. d. 11	£ 499	12 s. d. 0		
Waiotino—Wairarapa West	... 355	14	7	£ 356	4 s. d. 5	£ 711	19 s. d. 0	£ 478	16 s. d. 3	£ 161	18 s. d. 11		
Wairau—Marlborough...	... 740	9	3	£ 267	1 s. d. 2	£ 1,507	10 s. d. 5	£ 735	7 s. d. 4	£ 257	19 s. d. 9		
Waimakariri South ...	... 5,964	8	0	£ 3,692	18 s. d. 2	£ 1,300	0 s. d. 0	£ 10,957	6 s. d. 2	£ 14,237	5 s. d. 6	
Totals ...									£ 511	10 s. d. 6	£ 1,931	15 s. d. 8	
											£ 16,700	11 s. d. 8	
											£ 4,860	16 s. d. 2	
												£ 22,205	13 s. d. 5

* By the 13th section of "The Public Works Act, 1876," every County Council and every Road Board is required to send in their accounts to the Minister, made up to the 31st March in each year. The several returns from which this table has been compiled are for that date, except the following, which are for the financial year ending 30th June, 1879, viz., Maungakaramea, Kaukapakapa, Matakanā East, Matakanā West, Poikeno, and Clive. In the case of Temuka, the return is to the 31st December, 1878.

‡ In cases where sums were received in aid from the County Councils, the amounts are included in this column.

†

Outstanding loans are included.

Note.—Wherever blanks occur in the foregoing tables, nil returns have in some cases been received, and in others the information has not been supplied. In regard to several of the road districts here referred to, the Boards are not as yet constituted, and no rates have been levied. The Road Districts of Lyell, Inangahua, and Cobden are now merged into their respective counties.

ROAD DISTRICTS.—(III.)
TABLE showing the Revenue and Expenditure of the Road Districts in each of the Provincial Districts of the Colony of New Zealand, for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1879; also the Total Amount of Assets and Liabilities at date of balancing.

Provincial Districts.	Revenue from						Expenditure.						Assets at date of Balancing.	Liabilities at date of Balancing.	
	Government.			Rates,		Other Sources,	Total.	Public Works,			Salaries, &c.		Other Expenditure,		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Auckland ...	33,487	9	4	12,944	0	9	17,817	10	7	64,249	0	8	48,278	14	2
Taranaki ...	2,501	5	0	2,257	14	10	786	10	7	5,545	10	5	4,309	11	4
Hawke's Bay	4,058	10	8	2,689	6	11	76	5	3	6,824	2	10	4,500	3	3
Wellington	16,136	12	10	15,781	15	1	8,439	13	11	40,358	1	10	35,528	18	8
Marlborough	5,113	0	8	3,601	3	9	1,068	12	5	9,782	16	10	6,606	9	2
Nelson	6,440	17	4	2,231	11	0	1,997	11	8	10,670	0	0	11,000	13	4
Westland	375	19	10	281	17	6	200	0	0	857	17	4	209	5	0
Canterbury	263,412	6	9	20,066	5	9	27,600	11	10	311,079	4	4	295,662	10	9
Otago	20,986	19	8	19,028	11	6	9,559	11	10	48,675	3	0	43,285	5	5
Totals ...	352,513	2	1	78,882	7	1	67,546	8	1	449,381	11	3	498,941	17	3
													28,556	12	8
													21,949	1	7
													499,887	5	4
													547,910	1	10
													57,308	14	2

CONSTABULARY, VOLUNTEERS, FIRE BRIGADES.

NEW ZEALAND ARMED CONSTABULARY.

TABLE showing the Number of Men (Rank and File), the Number of Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers, and Posts of the New Zealand Armed Constabulary, situate in the several Districts of the Colony, on 31st December, 1878.

Districts.	Number of Posts.	Number of			Total.
		Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Rank and File.	
Otago	51	6	25	92	123
Canterbury	30	4	21	69	94
Westland	8	2	5	16	23
Grey	10	1	4	16	21
Marlborough	3	1	3	5	9
Nelson	7	1	3	12	16
Auckland	42	3	22	76	101
Wellington	17	3	7	42	52
Taranaki	8	1	4	12	17
Napier	14	1	4	25	30
Depôt	1	1	8	44	53
Waikato	4	3	9	63	75
Taranaki	6	5	8	59	72
Taupo	4	3	7	67	77
Opotiki	8	3	10	62	75
Totals	213	38	140	660	838

H. E. READER, Under Secretary,
(for Commissioner A.C. Force.)

THE 5th APRIL

ACES.

S.	Proportion per Cent.		
	Persons.	Males.	Females.
81	..	..	..
24	100.00	100.00	100.00
15	58.61	55.26	62.40
56	2.55	2.31	2.82
59	18.71	20.05	17.20
93	.35	.39	.30
38	8.30	8.96	7.54
99	7.61	7.72	7.49
94	.59	.66	.51
8	.75	.92	.55
9	.33	.40	.25
7	.23	.37	.07
5	.21	.27	.14
7	.11	.15	.07
7	.09	.12	.06
6	.06	.10	.02
9	.06	.08	.03
1	.05	.09	.10
2	.03	.05	.10
0	.02	.04	.10
4	.02	.02	.10
1	.02	.02	.10
3	.02	.02	.10
9	.01	.02	.10
6	.01	.02	.00
4	.17	1.34	.10
9	.91	.20	.12
3	.11	.14	.06
3	.03	.03	.03
0	.04	.06	.03
7	.21	.19	.23
7
10	97.67	96.38	99.13
	2.33	3.62	0.87

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SUMMARY OF THE RESULTS OF THE CENSUS OF THE 5th APRIL, 1891.

E (EXCLUSIVE OF CHINESE).

	Proportion per Cent.			Proportions of Sexes in every 100 Persons.	
	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Males.
293,781	..	..	..	..	..
293,509	100'00	100'00	100'00	53'09	46'91
8,057	2'63	2'52	2'74	51'00	49'00
7,205	2'37	2'27	2'49	50'81	49'19
8,483	2'76	2'64	2'89	50'86	49'14
8,727	2'82	2'68	2'97	50'47	49'53
8,383	2'72	2'61	2'86	50'83	49'17
8,638	2'64	2'94	50'43	49'57	49'85
8,740	2'80	2'65	2'98	50'15	49'85
8,574	2'78	2'60	2'92	50'73	49'27
8,384	2'74	2'63	2'86	51'03	48'97
8,250	2'65	2'51	2'81	50'39	49'70
8,624	2'79	2'65	2'94	50'51	49'49
8,015	2'55	2'39	2'73	49'78	50'22
2'64	2'50	2'80	50'20	49'80	
2'48	2'36	2'62	50'47	49'53	
2'83	2'37	2'65	50'34	49'66	
1'42	9'82	11'12	49'92	50'08	
2'01	1'81	2'24	47'71	52'29	
2'22	6'72	7'02	49'02	50'98	
6'63	6'10	7'62	51'44	48'56	
5'89	6'18	5'15	57'59	42'41	
4'01	5'34	4'53	56'94	43'08	
5'13	4'03	5'90	41'00		
4'7	5'05	3'38	62'83	37'17	
2'73	3'29	2'10	64'02	35'98	
1'04	2'31	1'52	63'24	30'76	
1'18	1'87	60'47	30'53		
75	64	57'16	42'84		
3'6	3'2	55'99	44'01		
1'15	1'4	52'28	47'72		
9'07	.06	55'53	44'47		
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ALLEGIANCE.					
British subjects	612,064	320,833	291,231
Foreign subjects	14,594	12,044	2,550

BIRTHPLACES.

Where born.	Numbers.			Proportion per Cent.			Proportions of Sexes in every 100 Persons.	
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Totals for all birthplaces	626,658	332,877	293,781	..	..	..	..	..
Totals for specified birth-places	625,641	332,217	293,424	100'00	100'00	100'00	53'10	46'90
British Possessions—								
New Zealand ..	366,716	183,601	183,115	58'61	55'26	62'40	50'07	49'93
Australian Colonies ..	15,943	7,677	8,266	2'55	2'31	2'82	48'15	51'85
England ..	117,070	66,611	50,459	18'71	20'05	17'20	50'90	43'10
Wales ..	2,214	1,321	893	3'35	3'30	3'30	59'67	40'33
Scotland ..	51,916	29,778	22,138	8'30	8'96	7'54	57'36	42'04
Ireland ..	47,634	25,065	21,969	7'61	7'22	7'49	53'88	46'12
Other British Possessions ..	3,703	2,209	1,494	1'59	1'66	1'51	59'65	40'35
Foreign Countries—								
Germany ..	4,663	3,045	1,618	'75	'55	65'30	34'70	
Denmark and Possessions ..	2,953	1,324	729	'33	'40	2'25	35'51	
Sweden ..	1,414	1,217	197	'23	'37	80'07	31'93	
Norway ..	1,288	883	405	'21	'14	68'56	31'44	
France and Possessions ..	711	514	197	'11	'15	0'07	72'29	27'71
Austria ..	564	397	167	'09	'12	0'06	70'39	20'61
Italy ..	397	321	76	'06	'10	0'02	80'86	19'14
Switzerland ..	302	273	89	'06	'08	0'03	75'41	24'59
Russia and Possessions ..	340	280	31	'05	'09	0'01	90'31	9'69
Portugal and Possessions ..	205	183	23	'03	'05	0'01	89'27	10'73
Holland and Possessions ..	143	123	20	'02	'04	0'01	80'01	13'99
Poland ..	99	65	34	'02	'02	0'01	65'66	34'34
Greece ..	94	73	21	'02	'02	0'01	77'66	22'34
Belgium ..	115	82	33	'02	'02	0'01	71'30	28'70
Spain and Possessions ..	70	57	19	'01	'02	0'01	75'00	25'00
Other European Countries ..	34	18	16	'01	'02	0'00	52'94	47'06
China ..	4,470	4,446	24	'71	'34	0'01	99'46	'54
America (North)* ..	1,016	607	349	'16	'20	1'12	65'65	34'35
United States of America ..	607	474	193	'11	'14	'06	71'06	28'94
Africa ..	183	90	93	'03	'03	0'01	49'18	50'82
Other Foreign Countries ..	276	186	69	'04	'06	0'03	67'39	32'61
At sea ..	1,295	628	667	'21	'19	0'23	48'49	51'51
Unspecified ..	1,017	660	357	..	..	..	..	..

* Including "America" so returned.

EDUCATION OF THE PEOPLE (EXCLUSIVE OF CHINESE).

Ages.	Persons.				Males.				Females.			
	Read and Write.	Read only.	Cannot Read.	Education Unknown.	Read and Write.	Read only.	Cannot Read.	Education Unknown.	Read and Write.	Read only.	Cannot Read.	Education Unknown.
All ages ..	478,438	24,606	116,159	3,011	254,710	12,205	59,753	1,783	223,728	12,401	56,406	1,228
Specified ages ..	477,877	24,588	116,121	2,705	254,331	12,196	59,733	1,540	223,546	12,392	56,388	1,165
Age above 5 years ..	478,438	23,936	33,637	3,011	254,710	11,886	57,818	1,783	223,728	12,050	55,819	1,228
Under 5 years ..	670	82,522	..	..	319	41,935	..	..	351	40,587	..	..
5 years to 10 years ..	45,122	15,358	24,816	751	22,203	8,039	12,847	403	22,919	7,319	11,909	348
10 years to 15 years ..	78,970	1,032	807	271	39,613	546	456	136	39,357	486	351	135
15 years to 20 years ..	64,404	245	427	127	32,060	160	267	62	32,344	85	160	65
20 years to 25 years ..	57,136	226	460	157	27,679	137	262	98	29,457	89	198	59
25 years to 30 years ..	44,583	338	529	166	22,685	166	280	111	21,898	172	249	55
30 years to 35 years ..	37,759	618	600	194	20,578	281	311	171	18,181	337	289	83
35 years to 40 years ..	33,103	739	797	188	18,846	346	440	111	14,257	413	357	77
40 years to 45 years ..	28,183	848	957	195	15,760	353	517	108	12,414	495	440	87
45 years to 50 years ..	26,192	979	974	177	15,479	383	531	97	10,713	596	443	80
50 years to 55 years ..	24,124	1,016	1,008	179	15,240	443	599	123	8,884	573	409	56
55 years to 60 years ..	15,369	788	679	104	9,986	354	384	66	5,383	434	295	38
60 years to 65 years ..	10,727	643	608	78	6,906	263	370	49	3,621	380	238	29
65 years to 70 years ..	5,639	448	346	34	3,488	186	212	17	2,151	262	134	17
70 years to 75 years ..	3,728	337	272	40	2,188	124	160	28	1,540	213	112	12
75 years to 80 years ..	1,762	185	158	22	1,010	75	96	10	752	110	62	12
80 years and upwards ..	1,076	118	131	22	601	41	66	10	475	77	65	12
Unspecified age, under 21 years ..	17	3	27	19	9	1	11	9	8	2	16	10
Unspecified age, over 21 ..	14	15	11	24	37**	2	2	2	14	14	2	2

RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS.

Religious Denominations.	Numbers.			Proportion per Cent.			Proportions of Sexes in every 100 Persons.	
Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	

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SIR,—

I have the honour to submit to you the complete volume of Statistics for the year 1892.

Part I., Blue Book; Part II., Population and Vital Statistics; and Part III., Trade and Interchange, comprising 234 pages of the tables most in request, were circulated on the 23rd June last.

Of further tables, now appearing for the first time, those of Part VI., which deal with accounts of various local governing bodies in New Zealand, brought up to the 31st March of the current year, have been, as usual, very difficult to complete owing to delay in sending the necessary returns.

The "New Zealand Official Year-book" for 1893, published in September last, contained a complete report on the Statistics of 1892 (although all the detailed tables had not appeared in print at that time), except as to statistics of crime and private schools, for which the figures of 1891 were given as the latest then available.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

E. J. VON DADELSZEN,

Registrar-General.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF THE COLONY OF NEW ZEALAND FOR THE YEARS 1840 TO 1852 (INCLUSIVE).

Year.	Population of European Descent (excluding the Military and their Families).*	Trade.		Revenue and Expenditure.				Appropriations from the Commissariat and Naval Expenditure.†	Total Expenditure.
		Imports.	Exports.	Revenue from Customs.	Revenue from Land Sales and Crown Lands.	Post Office, Fees, Fines, Licenses, and other Incidental Sources.	Total Revenue from Previous Sources.		
1840	£ 926	..	..	£ 926	..	£ 926
1841	10,836	6,407	28,540	2,443	37,390	43,347
1842	166,783	18,670	11,723	2,298	32,589	1,426
1843	11,848	191,207	53,945	16,241	1,613	51,509
1844	12,447	111,619	49,647	11,099	405	8,093
1845	12,774	116,980	76,911	8,899	155	39,053
1846	13,274	155,478	82,656	21,319	615	54,546
1847	14,477	202,355	45,485	36,472	835	212,899
1848	17,166	233,844	44,215	38,366	3,337	..
1849	19,543	254,679	133,662	41,931	3,600	197,649
1850	22,108	..	..	43,612	8,559	110,600
1851	26,707	..	..	49,208	12,261	177,364
1852	27,633	..	..	50,527	14,281	..

* The Maori population was estimated at 56,400 persons in the year 1853.
debentures at different issues.

The following are particulars respecting the European population, their cultivations, and live stock for the year 1851:—
Religious Denominations.—Church of England, 14,179 persons; Presbyterians, 4,124; Wesleyans, 2,529; Primitive Methodists, 226; Independents, 333; Baptists, 400; Unitarians, 74; Lutherans, 186; Quakers, 8; Protestants not specifically defined, 614; Roman Catholics, 3,473; Jews, 65, refused to state, 496.
Education.—Could not read, 7,818 persons; read only, 4,353; read and write, 14,536.
Land in Cultivation.—Acres—in wheat, 5,514; barley, 1,329; oats, 2,324; maize, 259; potatoes, 2,256; grass, 15,589; gardens or orchard, 1,188; other crops, 679; total under crop, 29,140. Acres fenced, 49,025.
Live Stock.—Horses, 2,890; mules and asses, 60; cattle, 34,787; sheep, 233,043; goats, 12,121; pigs, 16,214.

[The above table is compiled from information given in Dr. Thomson's work on New Zealand, which is stated by Sir George Grey to have been supplied from official sources when he was Governor.]

† The data are drawn from several official sources, and the information is only approximate.

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